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## ENCAMPMENT AND EXHIBITION

### At Grange Park, Centre Hall

**Sept 13 to 19 the Greatest for Several Years —Thursday, Democratic Day, Fully 10,000 People Attended—The Exhibits.**

Thursday was a great day at Grange Park. At no time, possibly, had a larger crowd assembled on the park than came from Centre and adjoining counties to hear the distinguished Democratic candidate for governor, Robert E. Pattison, and his running mate, George W. Guthrie, for lieutenant governor. The number of people present is variously estimated, but no estimates are put at less than eight thousand. Ten to twelve thousand persons is the number estimated present by those who are acquainted with the grounds.

One hundred or more Democrats, from the various districts appointed as a reception committee, met the campaigning party at Coburn. The Ex-Governor and his associates were occupants of the Wahula, attached to the regular train coming from the east. Just before the regular train arrived at Coburn a special train carried nearly four hundred people from that station to Grange Park, yet there remained several hundred people at the station to greet him.

The sight of Grange Park from the Wahula presented a beautiful spectacle. The Ex-Governor's face expressed a most gratifying feeling, and his appearance to the mass of people was the signal for an outburst of applause and cheer.

On the arm of Col. John A. Woodward, Mr. Pattison was escorted from the train to the Democratic headquarters, and then for an hour or more he grasped the hands of the thousands who passed through the tent. By actual count six hundred people shook the Governor's hand in twenty minutes.

At the first opportunity Mr. Pattison was driven to the private residence of W. B. Mingle, Esq., for an hour's rest, and then returned to the park for dinner, and immediately after being served he was escorted to the temporary speakers' stand erected on the east side of the Auditorium.

County Chairman John J. Bower announced that Col. James F. Weaver, of Milesburg, would permanently preside. Col. Weaver introduced the various speakers with appropriate remarks.

During the course of his address, Ex-Governor Pattison said: I am delighted with this opportunity to greet you in your homes. I congratulate you upon having for your presiding officer the distinguished soldier, Colonel James F. Weaver, who so faithfully and patriotically served his country in the hour of danger.

I came here to talk to you about the principles of government. The men who founded our government believed in principle. They left home and associates across the ocean that they might come here to demonstrate man's capacity for self-government. We assemble here to-day for the purpose of discussing that fundamental principle.

Speaking of the franchise grab, the ex-governor said in the closing days of the last Legislature the Republicans passed what are known as the railway franchise bills. They gave to the Machine leaders and their friends, for nothing, great privileges.

In Philadelphia a responsible gentleman offered $2,500,000 for the rights under these bills for that city alone. His offer was rejected, and only a few weeks ago a corporation was capitalized at $6,000,000 to utilize the privileges. If the $6,000,000 were distributed among the 67 counties of the State, in proportion to the area of each, Centre county, having 1227 square miles, would be entitled to $163,191 for good roads. Instead of appropriating this vast sum for the benefit of the rural districts it is handed to a few political favorites of the Machine in Pennsylvania.

George W. Guthrie, the candidate for lieutenant governor in answer to the statement made on Tuesday by the Pennypacker speakers that the State debt had been almost liquidated, said:

A great many years ago, before even the Quay Machine came into existence when its predecessor, the Cameron Machine, was growing up, there was imposed upon this State a heavy debt in the development of a canal system of transportation, which was necessary to the agricultural districts. In 1874 the people of this Commonwealth, in opposition to the Machine as it existed at that time, adopted a Constitution which prevented the State ever incurring any more debt, and made the ultimate extinguishment of this debt absolutely certain, and the Machine could not prevent it

They do not faithfully administer the provisions in the Constitution nor respect the spirit of them, else the debt would not be almost but absolutely extinguished. If the cash in the sinking fund had been utilized for the benefit of the State, instead of being deposited in banks to furnish funds for speculation for favorite individuals, the debt would have been wiped out long since. The years in which there was the largest reduction of the debt of the State since the passage of the Constitution in 1874 were the years in which your distinguished Democratic candidate sat in the Executive chair at Harrisburg, and you owe as much to that as to anything else for the reduction of your debt.

They tell you also that no money has been stolen from the State Treasury. Well, that is a fact, in a literal sense. It is many years since a great deal of money in the Treasury has been stolen; but there has been a great deal of money stolen before it got to the State Treasury.

What did "honest John Bardsley" go to the penitentiary for, but because the money of the people which was in his hands, on its way to the State Treasury, was stolen by his connivance and assistance? Where it went after it got out of his hands he never told.

The distinguished jurist says that two sessions of the Legislature have gone, and he quotes a line from a beautiful piece of poetry, and says: "They have folded their tents like the Arabs." He forgot the second line of that poem, one of the loveliest bits of verse in the English language:

"They folded their tents like the Arabs,
And as silently stole away."

Gentlemen, you can prove anything by a quotation, if you take it out of its context. And they have folded their tents like the Arabs, and it is said of them that they have stolen away in the same manner; and if you send them back you will have no-body to reproach or blame but yourselves, if they steal what is left.

Major Veale, of Philadelphia, was the next speaker, and he was followed by Representative Mayne, of Lehigh county, and Senator Herbst, of Berks county, both of whom spoke in Pennsylvania Dutch. It has been a long time since anyone in this locality heard an address in that dialect, although it is used to a considerable extent in some portions of the county. The speakers were listened to most attentively by the Irish and English as well as the Dutch. Everyone acquainted with the dialect had about him a little group to whom he interpreted. Senator Herbst is the only Democratic hold-over in the state senate, and occupied a seat in that body by the side of Senator Heinle from this county. He plead for the return of Senator Heinle and told his hearers that they—both Democrats and Republicans—owed it to him because he stood up for their rights and voted for every measure that would be of possible benefit to his constituents.

The necessity of Democratic Assemblymen from this county was also dwelt upon by the speaker. The importance of having Democratic legislators at Harrisburg is too frequently overlooked by the Democrats, while the Republicans never leave anything undone to have the county represented in Harrisburg by one of their number.

State Chairman Creasy dwelt on this point, and inquired why a man of the character of Mr. Allison; a man who so honestly voted on every measure during the entire session of the last Legislature, should be turned down. The truth of the matter is, the Republicans want to be represented by men like Mr. Strohm and Mr. Schoonover, who they know will at all times and under all conditions vote with the Republicans. Men of the stripe of Mr. Schoonover are preferred for that office by the Republicans, because they are capable of doing any evil emergency may demand. While Mr. Strohm bears a good character, he has never been known to forsake his party to fulfill church vows.

D. E. Hibner, of DuBoise, the Democratic candidate for Congress, was the next and last speaker. Mr. Hibner is a business man and looks on politics in a business-like way. His address was listened to with strict attention, and during his remarks he touched on state and national issues.

Mr. Hibner was a much sought man while at the Encampment, and when he arrived Wednesday afternoon, he was given a right royal reception by the hundreds of Democrats from various counties in the twenty-first congressional district.

### FORENOON ENTERTAINMENTS.

**Local Talent and State Grange Officers on the Stage.**

The forenoon sessions in the auditorium were given over to local talent and speakers of the State Grange. J. T. Ailman and A. M. Cornell entertained their hearers on topics of vital importance to Patrons of Husbandry and others.

Theodore P. Rynder, of Erie, chairman of the State People's party committee, was also given an opportunity to speak.

Miss Edith Lutz, the Misses Grove, daughters of Nathan Grove; Miss Bertha Garver, Mrs. John Dale and others recited poems. Mrs. Samuel Gingerich and Miss Anna Dale presided at the organ. The vocal music was furnished by the younger members of various granges.

### EXHIBITS.

**The Display of Agricultural and Horticultural Products and Live Stock.**

Messrs. George Gingerich and John Dale had charge of the live stock and poultry and agricultural and horticultural displays, which were entirely creditable. Following is a list, as near as could be obtained, of the exhibitors and the exhibits:

Mrs. Calvin Vonada, Centre Hill, Kershaw squash.
Mrs. J. W. Conley, Centre Hall, Sweet pumpkin, squash.
John Breon, Centre Hall, pumpkin.
J. Roy Schaffer, Centre Hall, pumpkin.
Frederick Walker, Penn Hall, radish.
I. N. Harvey, Milesburg, cantaloupe.
John Breon, Centre Hall, turnips.
Jas. A. Keller, Centre Hall, Rubicon and Ben Davis apples.
D. C. Keller, Centre Hall, Ewalt apples, Alberta peaches.
James From, Centre Hall, grapes, Dumond peach.
John S. Dale, State College, Bienheim Pippin, Malden Blush, Vonada apples.
B. W. Rumberger, Hublersburg, Pippin and King apples.
Levi Stump, Colyer, Fultz and Rudy wheat.
Mrs. Mervin Arney, Centre Hall, Mangoes.
David K. Keller Centre Hall, King of the Rose and Bully Boy potatoes, Orange quinces, Prolific apples.
Samuel Gingerich, Linden Hall, Plenish Beauty pear.
Mrs. Keller Dolby, Centre Hall, Cotton.
Richard Brooks, Centre Hall, Rural New York potatoes.
Mrs. Julia Shuey, Lemont, Balsam pear.
David K. Keller, Centre Hall, Ewalt, English Rambo, Rhode Island Greening apple.
Mrs. John S. Dale, State College, Cauliflower.
Levi Stump, Colyer, Aurora and Stray Beauty potato.
N. B. Schaffer, Centre Hall, Rural New York, Early Market, White Giant potato.
A. G. Lytle, State College, Orange, Summer Rambo, Ohio, Watermelon, Baldwin apples.
Green Decker, Spring Mills, Conklin wheat, Fall Pippin apples.
A. G. Lytle, State College, King apple, Early Crawford peach, Park tomato, Rockey Mountain potato.
W. H. Lucas, Centre Hill, Irish Daisy potato.
Laura B. Lytle, State College, Early Sunrise potatoes.
Maggie Armstrong, Lemont, Niagara grapes.
George Gingerich Centre Hall, King Tom Co., Seek-no-farther, Maiden Blush, Ewalt apples, cauliflower.
B. W. Schaffer, Madisonburg, 20-oz. Ewalt apple.
G. W. Rowe, Potters Mills, apples, potatoes, crab apples.
Mrs. I. M. Harvey, Milesburg, onions, Ewalt apples.
D. A. Grove, Lemont, squash, Ewalt, mammoth apples.
Mrs. I. M Harvey, Milesburg, tomatoes.
I. M. Harvey, Milesburg, Fall Variety, Northern Spy apples.
B. W. Rumbarger, Hublersburg, King apples.
W. H. Lucas, Centre Hill, Globe, Late Crawford peach, Golden Amber quince, Baldwin, Blue Mountain apple.
John Grove, Lemont, Rambo, Green Pippin apples.
J. S. Rowe, Centre Hall, onions.
G. W. Homan, State College, Niagara grapes, Sept Rambo, Autumn Rambo, Maiden Blush apples, Gen. Grant crab apples.
C. M. Arney, Centre Hall, Alberta peach.
M. M. Condo, Centre Hall, Yellow, Golden cherry White, Red tomato, Gravenstein, Baldwin apple, Early White Spy, Long green cucumber.
J. M. Grove, Lemont, Red beet.
John Breon, Centre Hall, 90-day, Good-seed, Calico field corn, Giant wheat.
John Grove, Lemont, Cinch bug pumpkin.
G. L. Goodhart, Centre Hill, Maggie Murphy, potato, apples.
Samuel Goodhart, Spring Mills, apples.
John Breon, Centre Hall, oats.
S. R. Lingle, Millheim, apples.
J. J. Arney, Centre Hall, Early Rose, Rural New York, Carman No. 1, Early Ohio, Freeman potatoes, Red Cross, Ohio Fultz, Early wheat, Golden Pippins, Pound, Summer Sweet, Rhode Island Greening, Northern Spy, Rambo, Sweet Russet, Wine Sap, Pippin, Baldwin, Bell Flower, Blue Mountain, Seedling, King apples, Hyslop, Sweet Crab apples, Alberta, Late Crawford peach, Beardless barley, Spring rye, 5-years-old clover seed.
P. A. Auman, Centre Hall, Doolev potatoes, Yellow Prize, White Globe onion.
J. J. Arney, Centre Hall, Northern Spy apples, Dent Field corn.
D. C. Keller, Centre Hall, Tobacco Plant.
W. H. Smith, Madisonburg, oats.
John Grove, Lemont, Seek no further apples, sunflower.
D. A. Grove, Lemont, Yard bean.
N. B. Shaffer, Centre Hall, Yellow Giant Field corn, Early Golden Field corn, Silver King Field corn, Ninety Day Field corn.
Mrs. Julia Shuey, Lemont, beans, chickery.
Mrs. Mervin Arney, Centre Hall, Butter bean.
J. S. Dauberman, Centre Hall, Sweet crab apples.
D. M. Campbell, Linden Hall, Sweet crab apples.
J. S. Ross, Linden Hall, Summer Rambo apples, Beauty of Hebron potatoes
Mrs. Lizzie Weaver, Milesburg, cucumbers, tomatoes, Denver onions, Concord grapes.
Miss Lizzie Weaver, Milesburg, mango.
J. A. Weaver, Milesburg, Baldwin apples, Bell Flower apples, pears.
Mrs. J. W. Conley, Centre Hall, tomatoes, white onions, yellow onions.
J. L. Shope, Milesburg, Water Melon apples, Rambo apples, King of the valley apples, Natural apples.
J. F. Weaver, Milesburg, Early apples, Rambo, apples.
J. A. Keller, Centre Hall, Wallbridge apples None Such apples.
W. W. Rupert, Zion, Wolf River, Fallow water, White Blush, Swoon, Baldwin, Alaska White, Winter Pippin, Roxbury Russet, York, Ontario, Rhode Island Greening, Roman apples.
P. W. Breon, Centre Hall, Thoroughbred Short Horn bull.
N. B. Shaffer, Centre Hall, Short Horn bull, 3 years old, Field corn.
J. E. Rishel, Linden Hall, Three thoroughbred Berkshire boars, 3 months old, four thoroughbred Berkshire sows, 3 months old, six pigs 2 months old.
G. W. Gingerich, Centre Hall, Berkshire sow, eleven pigs.
Jas. C. Goodhart, Centre Hill, Berkshire boar 6 month old, 3 Shropshire buck lambs.
Howard Creamery Co., Centre Hall, Grade sow, ten pigs, six pigs 5 weeks old, Berkshire boar 28 months old, English Berkshire boar 6 months old.
J. M. Arney, Centre Hall, Five English Berkshire pigs, sow, seven Berkshire pigs.
J. G. Dauberman, Centre Hall, Two Short Horn heifers.
D. K. Keller, Centre Hall, Two Short Horn cows.
Elmer Ishler, Centre Hall, Two Short Horn cows.
Mrs. Lewis H. Dolby, Centre Hall, Durham heifer, Fannie, 6 months old.
Mrs. D. C. Keller, Centre Hall, Durham bull, Levi, 8 months old.
G. L. Goodhart, Centre Hill, Trio Barred Plymouth Rock chicks, trio Barred Plymouth Rock Fowls.
C. D. Keller, Penn Hall, Trio Barred Plymouth Rock chicks.
J. S. Meyer, Penn Hall, Pair White Leghorn, trio Buff Leghorn, trio Silver Spanish Hamburgs, Buff Plymouth Rock chicks trio Buff Leghorn fowls, trio Barred Plymouth Rocks, trio Brown Leghorn chicks, White Leghorn fowls, Barred Plymouth Rock fowls, pair Buff Leghorn chicks, pair Duck Wing Game Bantams.
Mrs. J. W. Conley, Centre Hall, White Holland turkeys.
L. Rhone, White China geese.
James From, Centre Hall, trio Ducks.
J. Wolf Evans, Spring Mills, Buff Plymouth Rock fowls, two pairs Buff Plymouth Rock chicks, two pairs Single Comb white Leghorn chicks trio Single Comb brown Leghorn fowls, two pairs Single Comb brown Leghorn chicks.

**Other Exhibitors.**

Besides those who exhibited under tents and temporary structures were the following, who occupied a portion or the whole of the several permanent buildings:

Gable & Co., Altoona, notions, dry goods, ladies coats, etc. This booth was much sought, on account of the elegant class of goods displayed.

Mr. Huber, Mechanicsburg, a large and fine exhibit of novelties, dishes, toys, etc.

M. C. Gephart, Bellefonte, musical instruments.

Lamb & Co., Philadelphia, eyeglasses.

Clayton Wagner, Tusseyville, fruit sprayer.

Domestic Engine Co., Hagerstown, Md., Domestic gasoline engines, cream separators, feed cutters, washing machine.

Vermont Farm Machine Company, Bellows Falls, Vt., United States cream separator, Davis sewing machine, self-gauging butter press, dog and sheep power, Eureka butter worker, milk cooler and aerater, print butter carrier.

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Exhibits continued.

Adam Hoover, Pleasant Gap, washing machine.

Thornton Barnes, Philadelphia, groceries.

Garritee & Son, Philadelphia, clothing.

### MISSIONARY CONVENTION.

**First Convention of the West Susquehanna Classis Meets in Aaronsburg.**

The first annual convention of the Woman's Missionary Society of the West Susquehanna Classis of the Reformed church will be held at Aaronsburg, Thursday and Friday, October 2 and 3. The officers of this body are as follows: President, Mrs. H. I. Crow, Hublersburg; vice president, Miss Jennie Henning, Lewisburg; secretary, Miss Agnes Kryder, Cedar Springs; treasurer, Miss Eva Moyer, Millheim.

In addition to music and the usual devotional exercises, the following program has been arranged:

Thursday Evening.—Address of Welcome, Mrs. Bella Mingle. Response, Miss Jennie Henning. Address Woman's Work in Missions, Rev. A. M. Schmidt. Organization and Enrollment of Delegates.

Friday Morning.—Reports of Delegates from Congregational Societies. Paper, "Some of the Best Methods of Conducting a Missionary Society," Miss Emma Book. Alternate, Mrs. James Snodgrass. General Business.

Friday Afternoon.—Report of Delegate to Woman's Missionary Society of General Synod. Report of Treasurer. Report of Committees. Address, Rev. S. S. Snyder. Alternate, K. Otis Spessard, Ph. D. Papers, Our Society, (a.) Its Relation to the Denomination, Miss Beulah Wetzel. (b.) Its Relation to the Missionary, Mrs. Wm Knecht.

Friday Evening.—Recitation, Mrs. J. M. Runkle. Address, Do Missions Pay? Calvin M. Bower, Esq.

### LOCALS.

Oleo Bill Brown was probably put on the ticket as a lubricant.

Leonard H. Stover, of Coburn, manufacturer of soft drinks, was a caller at the Reporter office in the interest of John M. Stover, of Aaronsburg, Saturday of last week.

Will H. Keller, son of P. F. Keller, has employment in the Union Depot, Pittsburg, of a character suited to his taste and ability. He is on the clerical force in one of the departments.

W. C. Patterson of State College, has been appointed by Governor Stone one of the delegates to the Farmers' National Congress to be held in Macon, Georgia, during the week of Oct. 7th.

State College borough has authorized its committee on fire, water and light to purchase eleven street lamps, at $12.00 each, from the Search Light Manufacturing Company, Chicago, to be used in lighting the streets of that town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Homan, of State College, spent some time in Centre Hall last week, and brought with them Esther Foreman, who after spending the summer in their home, will attend the public schools of the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kerstetter, of this place, Friday morning went to Corning, New York, where their son Thomas is confined to bed by a serious attack of rheumatism. Tom was engaged in a large bottling works at that place prior to his illness.

Ira Barger and W. C. Naginey, of Milroy, were two Mifflin county gentlemen who crossed the Seven Mountains to be on hand Thursday, (Democratic day) at Grange Park. Mr. Barger formerly lived at Siglerville, but has lately moved to Milroy.

John H. Miller, years ago a familiar figure about Centre Hall, spent several days in town last week. Mr. Miller has quarters at the Erie Soldiers' Home, and holds an honorable position which frequently puts him in contact with the dignitaries of the institution and the special guests.

Henry I. Stahr, of Oley, Pa., is a professor of Latin in Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster. Last year Prof. Stahr taught the Pine Grove Mills High School, and will be remembered by many who attended the Boalsburg and Centre Hall teacher's local institute because of the prominent part he took in the discussions.

Many of the young people about Centre Hall will recall Miss Lizzie Alexander, now the wife of F. B. Plummer, of Lowell, Indiana, who is stopping with Mrs. Mary Ross. Mrs. Plummer is the daughter of James Alexander, deceased, and with her parents spent her younger days in Centre Hall. She is accompanied by her daughter, Blanche, who is in her teens.

### HYDROPHOBIA AMONG CATTLE.

**Veterinary Surgeon Fry Investigates a Herd in Huntingdon County.**

Some twenty days ago a tall, lank dog of the hound species made a circuit in the vicinity of Saulsburg, Huntingdon county, and on account of his dogged appearance he was dispatched by a rifle ball by some humane person, little thinking that the brute was infected with rabies. A few days ago Veterinary Surgeon Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, was called to Saulsburg to inspect the cattle and swine of Messrs. Wm. Hoffner and John Harman, some of which had died and others acted very strangely.

After thoroughly examining the cattle and swine, Dr. Fry pronounced the disease hydrophobia, and to avoid further trouble three cows and two hogs were killed. One cow and two hogs had previously died.

It is not known whether the dog did damage in other localities or not. All dogs in the neighborhood were ordered muzzled.

### LOCALS.

D. C. Keller Tuesday shipped a mixed car load of cows and hogs.

W. O. Rearick and family, of Milroy, were among friends in Centre Hall last week.

Amos Koch, of Pennsylvania Furnace, was one of the many Reporter readers brought to town on account of the encampment.

G. W. Ream and Harvey N. Ream, of Farmers Mills, came up from that place Saturday evening and brought with them one of Ham Shreckengost's 'coons caught Wednesday night.

The poultry exhibit of J. S. Meyer, Esq., of Penn Hall, at the Encampment attracted considerable attention Mr. Meyer gives the poultry business his personal attention, and is well repaid for his care.

James Zerbe, of near Spring Mills, and Miss Nora M. Mowery, of the same place, were married at the Evangelical parsonage, in this place, Wednesday evening of last week.

George Bloom, of near State College, and Abner W. Nearhood, of this place, are home from Northampton, Mass., where they were ward officers in a State asylum. The former will remain at State College, but the latter will return to his post of duty within ten days.

Mrs. G. H. Widder, wife of Dr. Widder, of Harrisburg, last week stopped in Centre Hall for a day. She had just returned from Missoula, Montana, where she visited her father, Jacob Harpster, and brothers and sisters. She was accompanied by her little son George, and before returning home was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Homer Barr, at Boalsburg.

Associate Judge W. Pax Mendenhall died at his home in Lewistown Wednesday of last week. Judge Mendenhall was a veteran of the civil war, having served in Company G, First Battalion, Pennsylvania Volunteers. He was known as "the Father of the Tire Mill" at the Standard Steel Works at Burnham, where he had been employed as a machinist for more than thirty years.

W. K. Aurandt, manager of Gable & Co.'s store on Grange Park, last week, was well pleased with the result of their first visit to Centre Hall. Mr. Aurandt's personality has much to do with making popular the Gable booths at fairs, etc. Of course the very efficient and very gentlemanly and ladylike clerks were backed with the best quality of goods, at fair prices, and the combination made things go—for cash.

Among the acquaintances formed by the writer during the Encampment which proved exceptionally congenial was that of J. A. Riley, of Bradford, who is clerk in the First National Bank of that city. He was accompanied by his wife and her sister, Miss Mary Bradley, of Bellefonte, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Benjamin Bradley, of Jersey Shore, and Miss Helen Bible the eldest daughter of Prof. and Mrs. George P. Bible, of Philadelphia.

The Reporter Friday of last week had two distinguished visitors in the persons of Messrs. James C. Quiggle and Harry W. Shoemaker. Mr. Quiggle is a native of Clinton county, being a resident of McElhattan, and during both terms of President Cleveland's administrations was United States Consul in Canada, and to-day is anxious for the welfare of the Democracy. Mr. Shoemaker, who is the former's nephew, is a son of H. F. Shoemaker, chairman of the executive committee of the Cincinnati Hamilton and Dayton railroad, and is engaged in the offices of that company in New York city. Instead of spending his vacation at some fashionable summer resort, Mr. Shoemaker prefers to live for a season among the hills and mountains of Pennsylvania—a wise conclusion. The gentlemen drove to Centre Hall for no other reason than to see beautiful Penns Valley.

## TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

### HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

A. Newton Bitner, station agent at Pine, was down for the Encampment.

A little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Floray, of Pleasant Gap, recently died of diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smull, of Smullton, attended the encampment several days.

The Bellefonte Lodge I. O. O. F. will occupy the Masonic Lodge rooms after the latter order has its new building completed.

Theodore P. Rynder, of Erie, chairman of the state committee of the People's party, was a caller at this office last week.

Howard Wells, son of George Wells, of Pleasant Gap, and Miss Lula Shirk were married at the home of the bride at Runville, Thursday of last week.

On Wednesday and Thursday, October 2 and 3; there will be a return train from the Centre county fair to Coburn. The train will leave Bellefonte at 7 p. m.

Miss Ray Weaver, of Unionville, was the guest of Mrs. H. W. Dinges last week. Miss Weaver is the daughter of Dr. Aaron Weaver, who died at Potters Mills about twenty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jared Mowery, of New Bloomfield, made their first visit to Centre Hall since moving to Perry county. Mr. Mowery is conducting a carriage making and repair shop at that place.

The committee appointed for the purpose have decided upon September 30 and October 1 and 2 as the time for holding the meeting of the state convention of county commissioners at Gettysburg.

Misses Verna Rearick, of Spring Mills, and May Brown, of Bellefonte, entertained many visitors at the encampment by performing duets, etc., on pianos which were placed on exhibition by M. C. Gephart.

The rush from Europe to share in the great American prosperity continues, imports of people exceeding even the big inpour of goods. Over 3,200 immigrants arrived in New York last week, representing an extraordinary inrush for the season.

Among other former residents last week's encampment brought back to Centre Hall was Aaron Harter, of Harrisburg. Mr. Harter is senior fireman in the electric light works of that city, and has charge of some of the finest engines and dynamos that can be found anywhere.

Among the young men from Millheim who were delighted with the procedings Thursday of last week at the park, was Stover G. Snook, who is the only Democrat in his connection by that name. He has been under the tutelage of J. W. Stover for some years, who instructed him in his good ways of business and political inclinations.

Dr. Charles Edward Reed, present State Librarian, and president of Dickinson College, Carlisle, will support Pattison. Dr. Reed was displeased with the "sliding-board" nomination of Pennypacker, and thought that Elkin, after it was shown the people were with him, should have been the nominee. Librarian Reed says he will resign by the first of the year, and that by no means will he ask a reappointment.

The Union Furnace manufacturing plant, makers of hardware novelties, at Union Furnace, Huntingdon county, sustained a heavy loss from fire Tuesday of last week. The fire started from an oil pipe bursting at the welding furnace in the shovel plant and before it could be gotten under control the shovel plant building and storage house, together with the company's general storehouse, were totally destroyed. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

Will F. Thomas, of Renovo, son of Adam Thomas, formerly of this place, spent last week in town. Mr. Thomas is engaged in the wood department of the car shops at Renovo, and spends his spare time in taking care of a number of choice thorough-bred fowls, which may in a short time receive his entire attention. He will attend several fairs this fall, and hopes to be as fortunate as heretofore in receiving first prize for his poultry.

Ex-Sheriff Shaffer, of Nittany, feasted a host of friends in honor of Colonel Henry F. Best, of Port Arthur, Texas. Besides the social, there was a literary side which was participated in by the Sheriff's granddaughters Misses Helen Shaffer, of Bellefonte, and Verna Allison, a member of the Sheriff's family. Colonel Best left Salona when a lad, and for some years lived in Illinois and Kansas, but now is a native of Texas. He made a brilliant record during the war of the sixties.

## WHEN THE BIRDS GO NORTH AGAIN.

By Ella Higginson.

Oh, every year hath its winter,
And every year hath its rain—
But a day is always coming
When the birds go north again;

When new leaves swell in the forest,
And grass springs green on the plain,
And the alder's veins turn crimson—
And the birds go north again.

Oh, every heart hath its sorrow,
And every heart hath its pain—
But a day is always coming
When the birds go north again.

'Tis the sweetest thing to remember
If courage be on the wane,
When the cold, dark days are over—
Why the birds go north again.

## Story of Two Letters.

Dr. Ian Fraser and Jim Grant, his college chum, met on a busy street of Ayr after a long separation. Dr. Fraser was Ayr's most popular physician, and Grant was a Glasgow journalist. After a few hearty words of greeting, Dr. Fraser dragged his friend home with him to dinner.

Half an hour later, as they sat in the doctor's cozy bachelor rooms exchanging reminiscences across the dinner table, Jim's eyes chanced to light upon a photo on a side table, and he grew pale.

"You have a photo there that recalls some bitter memories to me," he said.

"Whose?"

"Mrs. Forrest's. You know her?"

"Pretty well. She's been one of my patients for a while," and the doctor flushed slightly.

His friend observed it, and shook his head.

"Ian, my lad, I can see you're becoming one of the moths."

"Why, what do you mean?"

"I hope your wings have not been so badly singed at the flame as mine were. But let me explain. It was at Brodick last summer that I met Mrs. Forrest for the first time. You know what she is like—young, not more than twenty-five, though four years a widow, beautiful as a Greek goddess, and fascinating beyond words. A few days of increasing intimacy and I was blindly in love—ay, blindly. For three weeks I was at her beck and call. Then the awakening came; and one night when I parted from her at the garden gate, the lips that had returned my kisses bade me a final good-bye, with the smiling hope that I had spent a pleasant holiday."

He paused a moment gazing bitterly at the photo, while the doctor's face became hard and set.

"I was one of the moths," he continued, with a mirthless laugh, "and I have since learned that we are quite a large and varied collection."

The doctor's face was as pale as that of his friend, and his voice was husky as he said:

"I'm sorry for you lad; but perhaps you have saved me in time."

"Ah!"

"Ay, she plays her cards well, and I've been blind, or I would have seen that. I met her for the first time about two months ago, when she had a cycling accident opposite my consulting rooms, and was brought in. She had sprained her ankle, she said, and after attending to it I drove to her house in Racecourse road. At her request I called occasionally, oftener than was necessary for all the injury that I could discover. Then her daughter Marjory, a dear little girl of four, took whooping cough, and my visits though nominally professional, gradually became more frequent and more friendly. During the last week I have been attending her for a cold, and I had promised to call tonight; but after what I have heard I shall write a note of apology, and break off my relationship with her."

Three hours later this fascinating young widow who regarded her life's mission as the breaking of men's hearts sat in her room with an open letter in her hand, her face changing color as she read:

"Dear Mrs. Forrest—Circumstances which I cannot here explain render it impossible for me to keep my appointment tonight, or indeed to claim a continuance of our present relationship; and I beg that from this time you will cease to regard me either as your medical advisor or acquaintance. In the interests of both of us it is better that we should not meet again, and I hope, therefore, that you will let me pass as quickly out of your mind as I entered it.

"Yours truly,

"IAN FRASER."

Her first feeling was of anger and injured pride, then came the consciousness that this man had stirred her heart as no other had ever done.

"I will not lose him yet," she exclaimed.

II.

In the cool of the June eventide the two friends passed arm and arm along the sands, breathing the freshness of the sea beach and reveling in its freedom with the keen appreciation of the overworked.

Across the firth rose the peaks of Aran purpled by the setting sun; in front the rock-built ruin of Greenan Castle stood clear against the amber sky.

As they drew near the castle a young woman who sat reading at the base of the rock suddenly raised her head and looked toward them.

"Ha!" whispered Jim. "That's surely a fair specimen of Ayr's bonnie lassies. Who is she?"

"I don't know. I haven't seen her before. Certainly she's very bonnie. But hilloa! what's up?"

The girl had sprang to her feet, and was gazing anxiously up and down the beach. Presently her eyes rested on the summit of the rock, her face grew white as death, and she stood a moment as if spellbound. Then, with a horrified cry of "Marjory!" she had started toward the rock, and was struggling frantically up its steep side.

An upward glance revealed to the doctor the cause of her action. At the base of the castle wall, some sixty feet above the beach, is a ledge of rock not more than a foot in width, along which the foolhardy delight to pass, and mistake this madness for courage, when a single false step or a moment's giddiness will send them to a certain death upon the rocks below. Half way along this narrow path, crawling on hands and knees, was the figure of a girl, and the woman's cry had helped the doctor to recognize the child as Marjorie Forrest.

A few great strides and the two men reached the foot of the rock together; side by side, with the nimble, sure-footed strength of the days when as boys they had climbed the cliffs around their Highland home, they dashed up its precipitous flank, passed the struggling woman half way and reached the top pantingly together.

Even as they turned the corner of the wall it seemed too late, for the little one had become frightened, and was trying to turn back. There was no room, however; for a moment she swayed, then her childish hands slipped from the narrow ledgge, and with a heartrending cry of "Aunty!" she fell.

But not to death; for the sinewy form of the doctor shot forward across the ledge, and his hand caught the fluttering dress in a grip of iron.

They found "Aunty" lying insensible at the foot of the rocks, down which she had fallen in her excitement, and, while Marjory kissed her white face, saying piteously—"Aunty, aunty! I'll be good now, aunty!" the two men worked to bring her back to consciousness.

Presently she looked up, recognized the little girl with a glad cry, and made to clasp her to her breast, but her left arm dropped helplessly, and she closed her lips as if in pain.

"Ah!" said the doctor, running his fingers over her arm; "you've broken it. Let me put it right!"

"It's very good of you to take so much trouble,' she said, with a slight blush, lowering her eyes beneath his gaze.

"Not at all; it's quite in my line; I'm a doctor, you know!"

He had broken his own walking-stick and Jim's into splints, and was bandaging her arm, handling it with a touch that was tender as a caress; and, as his friend afterward declared, taking so long and fumbling so foolishly over it as to endanger his professional reputation in the eyes of his patient if she had been less interested in himself and more in his work.

"What a terrible think it would have been if you hadn't come in time," she said with a shudder.

"I'm glad we were at hand—for Marjory's sake. She and I are old acquaintances. By the way, as a mutual friend she might have introduced us. My name's Ian Fraser. This is my friend, Jim Grant."

"Mine is Mona Forrest. I'm Marjory's aunt! I've just come over from Canada for a three months holiday, and am going to spend a week or two with my sister-in-law. Marjory's father was my only brother. I arrived in Ayr yesterday morning."

The doctor had finished his bandaging, and giving her his hand he helped her to her feet, only to find that the fall had twisted her ankle, and she was now unable to use it.

Half an hour later Jim arrived with a cab, and the four drove to Fernton Villa, in Racecourse Road. Dr. Fraser's meeting with Mrs. Forrest, coming so soon after the reception of his letter, was naturally strained; but each was more than willing now that the visits should be renewed, though for quite different reasons.

There is no need to tell of the weeks that followed, the daily visits. In due course the crisis came; and one night Dr. Fraser turned away from the front door of Fernton Villa, staggering down the stairs like a man who is ill. She had gone. This fair Canadian girl who had given him the right to speak of love, and had become the center of his every earthly hope and aspiration, had left him without one word of warning, one breath of farewell.

III.

Another fortnight had dragged wearily past, and Dr. Fraser, pale and hollow-eyed, was crossing the Low Green when he came upon little Marjory Forrest. She was sitting upon a seat undressing a large doll which she had already reduced to a state of semi-nudity, and she hailed his coming with delight.

"Oh, doctor," she cried, gleefully, "come an vacksanate Dolly!"

"Vaccinate Dolly?"

"Yes; same as everybody."

Smiling at this reference to the small-pox scare, then at its height, he took the doll in his hand, and, as he turned it over, the stamped corner of an envelope protruding from under the solitary garment which it now wore caught his eye.

He withdrew the envelope, but as he glanced at the writing the laugh died from his lips and his face grew white. It was addressed to "Miss Mona Forrest," the writing was his own, and there was a letter within.

"Where did you get this?" he demanded quickly.

"I got it under aunty's pillow after she go away."

"Does your mother know about it?"

"No; I just put it on Dolly's chest. Aunty not want it, I think, 'cause it make her cry."

"Ah!"

He took the letter out and read it. The secret was revealed. It was the letter which he had written to Mrs. Forrest at the time of his friend's visit, but with two slight alterations that had made a world of difference in its effect. He had written the letter in June, using the Roman number (VI.) to indicate the month. This simply altered to VIII., an "s" added to "Mrs." and a dot over the somewhat indistinct "r" had changed the title to "Miss" and brought the date up to the time of his letter to Mona with bitter aptitude. There was but one woman who could hold the key to the mystery, and he sought her without delay.

Half an hour later he left the house with flushed face, but a glad light in his eyes, for he had wrung from Mrs. Forrest the confession of her deceit.

That night in the bedroom of a London hotel a woman with two telegrams under her pillow lay awake through the weary hours, sighing for the dawn; and in the early morning, when she stood on the platform of St. Pancras station awaiting the arrival of the Scotch express, a tall figure leaped from the still moving train, clasped her in his arms, and, heedless of the crowd, pressed his lips to hers in a never to be forgotten kiss of reunion.—New York News.

## HOW LAKES BECOME LAND.

### Process of Drying Requires Years, But is Ever in Progress.

This continent abounds in rich agricultural fields and meadow lands that but a few years ago were broad expanses of limpid water. How these lakes have been transformed was recently explained by Professor Gregory, of Yale.

In the course of a talk to the students of his class he spoke of the way lakes are filled on one side and drained on the other by rivers, and called attention to the rapidity with which these lakes are filled up by the bringing down of sediment of various sorts. Rivers running into lakes are quite dark, but those leading away are clear—showing that much has been left behind.

The Mississippi carries yearly to the gulf over 13,000,000 tons of matter. It would take about a day's portion of the burden to convert any one of the many ordinary lakes into broad meadow lands.

Some idea of the rapidity with which lakes die under this process is shown, in the fact that seventy-three out of 149 lakes in the Swiss region have disappeared since 1873. Lakes die by either being filled up or drained off. The draining off results when a river has worn a gorge back so deep that the water all runs out.

The Niagara river is doing its best in this draining by cutting as fine a trench as could be made by an engineer. It is cutting back toward Lake Erie at the rate of over four feet a year, and in time will kill the lake. Unfortunately, however, the lake is destined to be drained through Chicago. Lake Tahoe, a beautiful lake in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, is also one of those destined in time to be killed as a result of the draining process.

Peat is one of the greatest fillers and works more rapidly than any other form of deposits. It is estimated that one-tenth of Ireland is peat and over one-tenth of the State of Indiana was once a peat bog.

The speaker called attention to the Dismal Swamp in Florida, which was once a vast lake, but is now a great area of bogs and swamp, with only a little lake in one part. So rank is the growth of this peat in that hot land that the surface of the lake is fourteen feet higher than the level of the surrounding bogs, showing that it has been literally forced up into the air.

Lakes, swamps, bogs and then garden lands represent the stages in the process of dying. Filling, draining and encroachment of vegetation represent the process that kills the lakes in warmer climes, while the forces of the air are agencies in the cooler portions of the country.

Prof Gregory closed his lecture with an interesting account of the way the lakes have disappeared in the regions of the western part of the United States where only desert land is now found.—Chicago Chronicle.

### Ruling Vice Strong in Death.

Tales of the prison-house generally come from chaplains, and make for edification. Not altogether consoling perhaps from that point of view, but interesting to students of all-round human nature is a little episode which lately happened at the grimest jail in the London district. In the prison infirmary was a man who had served many successive terms for theft, and who was now wasted away and at the point of death from consumption. How he lingered on was a puzle to the doctor, who, with his stethoscope, leant over him for a last time. As he did so, he saw a tremendous shadow of a hand raised to his waistcoat pocket, and his watch abstracted and put under the dying man's pillow. It was the thief's last effort; a smile of triumph passed over his face and he was dead.

The man who has the longest hair doesn't always have his hair the longest.




### THE SLIM PETTICOAT.

The woman who wishes to look slim around the hips may help to achieve her desire by making for herself a skeleton petticoat. These skirts are made of vertical stripes of ribbon about two inches wide, and placed about two inches apart, with nothing to fill the spaces. These ribbons reach below the knee, where this new fangled skirt flares out into a mass of fluffiness and frills voluminous enough to fill out the skirt in the mode of the hour. If the ribbon is too expensive then hemmed stripes of cotton or silk will answer quite as well.

### THE DUTCH NECK.

The drooping shoulder effect is a noticeable characteristic of the newest modes, together with the round Dutch neck, and both of these features suggest attractive disposals of trimming, says the Delineator. A beading of lace or fine nainsook run with velvet ribbon forms a pretty finish for the slightly low, round square necked dress of some soft summer material, while for linen and pongee a band of Oriental embroidery, or band of silk in contrasting color covered with French knots would be pleasing. Wristbands and a belt of embroidered bands would lend further distinction, while the seams and heading of the flounce on the skirt might be covered in a similar manner.

### CHILDREN'S COSTUMES.

For tiny children the frocks for dress occasions are still made, even for midwinter, of the sheerest lawn, heavy underclothing making them sufficiently warm. Tucks, feather-stitching, and hem-stitching are much used in these frocks—decidedly more than is embroidery or lace. Handwork is still the fad, and what fancy-work can be more suitable for a mother than the decoration of such dainty little frocks for her babies?

For children of four or five years of age, who are not yet old enough to wear woollen frocks, some very attractive Russian and sailor suits of colored linens and ginghams are made to be worn all winter for mornings.—Harper's Bazar.

### A NOVEL OCCUPATION.

"The gas woman" is perhaps the newest feminine invader of the industrial world. She is sent out by a gas company which desires to boom the use of the gas for cooking purposes. Many women are afraid of gas stoves. Some do not understand them and fail to get the best results from them, while with some, on the other hand, it is just a simple ignorance of how to cook. The helpful agent not only has a long list of nice simple recipes to offer, but she explains how to regulate the heat and to manage the oven, how to turn all the different dampers and screws, and all the time she is giving cooking lessons. She is looked upon in many districts where young housekeepers reside as a household joy.

### WOMAN PUBLISHER.

The distinction of being the only woman publisher in England belongs to Miss Florence White. She is possessed of unusual versatality and has had a curiously varied career. First a teacher (starting at the age of 16 for the magnificent salary of $40 per annum), she afterward took up journalism and for some time was the only woman journalist in Scotland doing special commission work. While helping to sub-edit the Edinburgh Evening News her health broke down, and to obtain the necessary change of air and scene she pluckily worked her way out to India in the capacity of children's nurse. Arrived there, she trained for some months in a hospital as a probationer, then traveled to Burmah, and eventually returned home to start publishing. The first book Miss White issued concerned the treatment of small-pox. Since then she has been very successful with a series of handbooks on practical domestic subjects.

### ALL SORTS OF NECKWEAR.

Fancy neckwear, introduced a few seasons ago as a novelty, has become a permanent addition to the costume field. And in no other stock are so many new things to be seen every season. New styles come out not only at the beginning of the season, but all through it, for this is a department in which novelty is the life of the trade.

On the fall counters will be seen many novelties of satin, velvet and pleated liberty. One line of new stocks has Medici point in front with a turnover effect, either real or stimulated by embroidery, and the back finished by a rosette.

Some, again, have little clerical looking tabs, of self material, hanging down two or three inches below the collar. Unlined lace collars, of the stock style, will be offered, in the varieties described. Others are made of chiffon covered with a coarse network of ribbon, the chiffon white, and the ribbon of some pale shade. Broad capelike lace collars will be one of the features of the coming season's neckwear. Plauen lace will be the most popular with the renaissance, Irish and Arabian for variety. Some of these broad collars are out in Van Dyke points.—New York Tribune.

### HER USUAL WORK.

Katherine M. Montague has won success and distinction in an unusual field of work. Through her remarkable drawings Miss Montague has earned the reputation of being one of the finest illustrators of microscopical studies in this country. For the past three years she has been working in the laboratory at the Johns Hopkins Medical School making the drawings for a book that Dr. J. Whitbridge Williams is soon to publish. Quite recently she accepted the commission from Dr. Simon Flexner of the University of Pennsylvania, who is well known as a pathologist, to make the illustrations for a book on pathology that he has in preparation. Absolute accuracy, with strong firm touch, and yet the greatest delicacy are required of the illustrator who reproduces with pencil, pen or brush the object seen under the microscope. These qualities Miss Montague possesses to a remarkable degree.

The minute structure of the tissues are among the subjects reproduced by her skillful pencil. To the uninitiated these things appear as nothing more than mere blurs on the slides of the microscope. Under the strong lens that is used for this kind of work as it magnifies hundreds of diameters, the outlines and general characteristics come out clearly.

### CHAPERONING THE CHAPERON

"How did your picnic come off?" asked one young woman of another as the two were enjoying five o'clock tea in the Waldorf-Astoria.

"It was just too lovely for anything,' came the answer.

"Who chaperoned?"

"It was perfectly killing, and we nearly all died over it. You know Mrs. Wheeler. She is a widow, not more than twenty-four years old, and Miss Graham invited her to chaperon us. It was awfully funny. The widow was the youngest one in the party. Graham, who selected the chaperon is not a day under forty. That young Dr. Baxter went with us, and though we all tried to be ever so nice to him he wouldn't look at a soul excepting the widow.

"Our chaperon didn't see another man in the party outside the doctor and she ignored us girls completely. In fact, the two were off by themselves every minute, walking under the trees, sitting on the rocks, throwing stones in the water, and eating their own little luncheon behind a big stump where none of us could see them without a great deal of trouble.

"But we did manage to see them for really I felt that we should, because it was ridiculous. We talked it over and concluded that the proprieties should be properly cared for. Then the seven girls of us formed ourselves into a body of chaperons to look after our chaperon and the doctor. It was hard work, too, for they were out of sight most of the time, and the picnic resolved itself into a sort of hare and hound game.

"We were really glad when night came and the responsibility was over. All of the way home our chaperon and the doctor did nothing but talk to each other in such low voices that we couldn't hear a word they said."—New York Herald.

### HOW TO CLIMB STAIRS.

Those stairs will be the death of me yet! You have heard the expression of such sentiment, if, indeed, you have not felt the probability of the same unvoiced prophecy, says Medical Talk.

Girls complain to me of backache and quickly say, "You know I have to go up and down stairs so much this year." The flights to which they refer are in a town hall; the steps are high and the flights are long—yet some can climb them several times a day and not have a grumbling back or any other uncomfortable result. The secret lies in the way they do it.

A girl is putting a severe strain on her back when she goes up stairs using a heavy, flat-footed tramp. She is uncomfortable, the heavy step jars her spine and head, and to make the ordeal as short as possible she hurries and possibly runs. One woman I frequently see ascending stairs leans so far over that when she turns the spiral she invariably puts her hands on the upper stairs.

Try another way if you want to feel all the exhilaration and buoyancy of an excellent exercise. Keep the weight well over the advanced foot with the chest the furthest point forward. To strike only on the ball of the foot on the stair gives buoyancy of step to most people, although some claim they can place the whole foot lightly on the stairs to good advantage.

Be sure and take your time. Remember, you are lifting the weight of the body, many times, and it is no light exercise.

The work the back has to do ought to be no greater going up stairs correctly than when on a level. The legs are the members of your bodily community which ought to perform that service for you.

I have known medical authorities to recommend walking up stairs correctly as good exercise for reducing prominent abdomen and relieving indigestion.


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### What Her Father Was.

A little girl who belongs to an Indiana family has been interested of late in the nicknames applied to the natives of different States, and has asked her mother many questions about "Wolverines" and "Buckeyes" and "Suckers" and dear only knows what else. Recently she was heard talking with a group of playmates. The little girls were evidently discussing their fathers.

"My father's a minister," said one little girl. "He came from Kentucky, and he's a Christian."

"My father's in office," said a second child. "I don't know where he came from, but I guess everybody in office is a Christian."

This brought the subject up to the little girl of Indiana parentage. It happens that her father had a father who made it possible for the former gentleman to live without any occupation. However, she couldn't let the other girls brag of their fathers without putting in some word for her own.

"My father came from Indianapolis," she said, proudly, "and he's a huckster, and that's why."

### Money Following Horses.

They were a disgruntled lot of sports homeward bound on the owl car. They had played the races by the long-distance method, and, ergo, they were that much out. They also had a vivid recollection of what the bookies did to them at Bennings during the last meet. Just then a platoon of street-sweeping machines filed past, leaving clouds of dust in its wake.

"See those fellows up on those machines, almost too sleepy to hold the reins?" asked one of the sports.

"Yes."

"Well, those fellows haven't got the best job in the world, but they are the only ones that make any money following the horses."


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# "A NARROW ESCAPE"

## Sunday Discourse By Dr. Chapman, the Noted Pastor-Evangelist.

### Wonderful Indeed is the Man of Salvation For the Sinner, Yet Exceedingly Simple--Trust Him Who Promises to Save.

NEW YORK CITY.—The following readable and helpful sermon is by the Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the best known evangelist in the country and one of the most popular pulpit orators of New York. It is entitled "A Narrow Escape," and was preached from the text, "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation?" Hebrews 2: 3.

The wonder of wonders in this world is the plan of salvation for the sinner through Jesus Christ. It is so wonderful that the man with the greatest mind the world has ever known has never yet been able to think his way through it, and at the same time it is so simple that the smallest child in your home can appreciate enough of it to be saved.

The first chapter of Hebrews presents to us the dignity of Christ. He is at the right hand of God; He is better than the angels; when the elements have melted with a fervent heat, He still exists; when the heavens have been rolled together as a scroll, He shall still be the very power of God. With such a description as this in the first chapter we come naturally to the first part of the second chapter. Therefore we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things which we have heard lest at any time we should let them slip.

A Cunard steamer was making her way across the Atlantic Ocean when the passengers were startled with a cry of "man overboard." Immediately every one was filled with excitement. One man sprang to the edge of the vessel and shouted, "I will give a thousand pounds to any one who will save the man that is sinking, for he is my brother." Every sailor was ready to throw himself into the sea if only he could win the reward and save the man. The captain manned the lifeboat, and soon a cheer went up because they had laid hands upon the sinking one. The lifeboat came near the great steamer, ropes were fastened around the man and the signal was given to lift him up. Just as they were reaching out their hands to make his salvation sure the ropes slipped, and falling he struck his head upon the lifeboat, bounded into the sea and was gone forever. The writer of the Epistle to the Hebrews must have had some such picture as this in his mind when he said, "We ought to give the more earnest heed lest at any time we should let them slip." I have known of people coming nearer to the kingdom of God than that, just one step and they would have been saved, but they slipped away, and then gave up hope.

There are three words around which my thoughts would centre, Great, Escape and Neglect.

I. It is a great salvation because it discloses to us a great Saviour, shows us how we may be saved from great sin, and also reveals how we may be restored to great holiness and happiness.

First, it is great in its author. The name of an author will frequently sell a book, and the name of the author of the plan of salvation ought to commend it to every one. If He is the author two things are true. First that we need not be afraid of Him, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son."

Luther tells us of the little girl, the child of the man who printed his first Bible. He was a member of the Church of Rome, and the child had been taught that God could only be approached by means of penance and sacrifice. One day in the printer's office she found a little crumpled piece of paper which contained a part of this verse, which Luther called the "Gospel in a nutshell;" all she found was, "God so loved the world that He gave——" It produced a great impression upon her. One day her mother heard her singing and asked the secret of her happiness. She answered by showing her the little piece of paper, and her mother said, "What does it mean?" for, she said, "it does not tell us what He gave." The child's reply was, "If He loved us well enough to give us anything, we need not be afraid of Him."

Again, if God is the author, His is the only way of salvation. Men decide to come to God by the way of reformation, or by the power of resolution, but this profits nothing, for reformation may touch the present, and may possibly avail for the future, but it cannot touch the past. If a man is in your debt $1500 and comes to tell you that he has decided never to go into debt again, you may tell him that he is making a fine resolution, but you will not tell him that his good resolution pays his indebtedness to you, for that is a transaction of the past. The wonderful thing about the plan of salvation is that it provides an atonement touching the sins of the present, makes provision for the future, and blotting out the transgressions of the past. It is great also in its sacrifice. The way back to God has always been sprinkled with blood. Study the Old Testament and you will find this is true. But when the sins of men became so great that the blood of bulls and goats would not suffice then Christ died for our sins, according to the Scriptures.

It was my privilege some time ago to preach to the convicts in the State Penitentiary of Tennessee. I said to them I can give you the secret of getting almost any amount of money, and their faces instantly were a study, for the most of them were in prison for trying to get money in their own way. But this is the secret I gave them. Take a piece of paper and write down upon it the amount of money you want, the length of time you want it, sign your name to it and carry it to the bank. But this will profit you nothing, because you have not found the secret. It is thus frequently that men stand before God and ask to be saved. If you will take that piece of paper to some one whose name stands for money, then have him write his name upon the back of it and carry it to the bank, you will be surprised to see what a different position you have, and you will receive the money, not because of what you are, but because of what your security is. It is thus we have our standing before God; our security is perfect, and simple faith unites us to Him.

It is great also in its pardon and forgiveness. Pardon means more with God than with men. With men a pardon may open the prison doors and send the guilty one back to his home, but if he is a murderer the chances are he will have a few peaceful nights, and then in his dreams as well as in his waking moments his sin will be before him. This is because he is pardoned and not justified. When God pardons us He justifies freely and forever. And forgiveness means more with God than with man. When we forgive we constantly remember the one who has sinned against us, but God forgives and remembers against us our transgressions no more forever.

A distinguished minister, in preaching to men specially, told the story of his own life, how he had almost broken his mother's heart, made her hair gray before the time, and made her blush to think that he was her son. Then told how God had forgiven him, and when he made his appeal the effect was profound. His officers gathered around him to say kind words about his sermon, but when they left there came an old woman with gray hair and bent form. She threw her arms about his neck and said, "My son, why did you tell it; you never was bad in all this world?" and this was his mother. He had almost broken her heart, and yet for her mother's love she had forgotten it all. This was a picture of God remembering our transgressions no more forever. The Scriptures say when we come to Him our sins are passed into the depths of the sea. This must be where they never can be found. They are cast behind God's back, so that now He is between the sinner and his sins. They are taken from him as far as the east is from the west, a distance which cannot be measured.

When preaching one day in Philadelphia, in the Young Men's Christian Association, the Secretary told me of a man sitting in the rear of the room, a most awful sight to behold. He had been sleeping in the streets, but the services had touched him and he came to Christ. He became an honored member of my own church. He was a professor of mathematics, and had been slain by the power of strong drink. It was my custom to hold a service every Sunday morning for men in that church, and one morning I told them that God had cast their sins as far from them as the east from the west. Then I turned to this old professor and asked him if he could tell me how far that was. He instinctively reached for his pencil and his note book, then suddenly burst into tears, saying, "It can't be measured. For if you put your stake here with the east before you and the west behind you, you can go around the world and come back again to the stake, and the east is still before you and the west behind you." "Thank God," said he, "that is where my sins have gone."

It has become somewhat unpopular in these days to preach concerning the lost world, but it is not what I think I must preach, rather what the Bible states. "I have an argument with you," said a man who had listened to the minister preaching. "What is it?" said the minister. "I do not believe what you said about the lost world." "Oh," said the minister, "you have an argument with God, not with myself." And since it is true, therefore, that God speaks continually and warms constantly, is it not right that I should present the claims of the great salvation.

II. Neglect.

It is possible for one to so constantly neglect God's appeals that after a while his heart will become like a stone. It is said that the little birds that build their nest in the Trinity steeple scarcely lift their heads when the chimes ring out, because they have become so accustomed to the ringing of the bells. An one may become so accustomed to Christ and His story that he may hear it with perfect indifference. I am on the river in a boat and the rapids are before me. I need only neglect the oars to be lost. I am in a burning building, and in order that I may be lost I need only neglect the fire escape. I am a sinner, and if I am to be lost finally it is only necessary that I should neglect Him who died that I might live.

In the city of Minneapolis I stood some years ago looking at the ruins of the Minneapolis Tribune building, and heard the story of those men who perished because they were on the upper floor gathering together important papers and waited too long to descend by the elevator, and even too long to come down by the fire escape. But at last they started, nine of them. The last man could not hold on to the hot iron of the fire escape, and in falling struck those beneath him, and the nine perished, all because they neglected.

III. Escape.

How shall we escape? This is the important question, and the answer is written in large letters throughout God's word. First, stop trying to be a Christian and trust Him, trust Him who promises to save you.

When Mr. Moody was going through an after meeting in Scotland he saw two girls crying. Stopping to assist them if he could one of them said she wanted to be a Christian, and taking out his Bible he asked her if she could receive God's promise in John 5: 24. Verily, verily, I say unto you, he that heareth My word and believeth on Him that sent Me hath everlasting life and shall not come into condemnation, but is passed from death unto life. She told him she could. The next night he found them in the same place and was curious to know if they were still in the darkness. He heard the girl of the night before saying, "I say, lassie, do just as I did, grasp a promise and hold on to it, and He will save you." And this is true for us all.

Again, if we would have Christ save us we must believe on the Lord Jesus Christ. To believe in Him is not enough; to believe on Him is to throw ourselves at His feet, by faith lay hold of Him. And having done this, He will be true to His word, and your name shall be written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

### Happiness.

Happiness! Oh, how we want it. There is not a man, woman or child that is not seeking for it, and asking the question "Where can it be found?" In the pursuit of happiness men are running hither and thither indulging in every form of amusement and more often of vice, to satisfy the cravings for it.

True, happiness is not to be found among the fleeting things of earth, for God never put it into them, and nothing is of more value than He intended. The will of God is the only thing in the universe. Earth, air, and water alike are controlled by it. Every law of body, mind, and spirit is but an expression of that will. All creation but man obeys that will, which causes the only discordant note in creation. Hence, out of harmony with the Divine will causes the only unhappiness, and makes man the only unhappy creature. God wants all of us to be happy to enjoy this beautiful old earth made for His creatures. And the only way to do it is to put yourself in harmony with that will. Then will come the peace and joy that passeth all understanding to your heart and mind, and the earth will seem fairer than ever before. This is no phantasma, but a reality attested to in every generation.—W. H. Morehouse.

### Spear Points.

Prayer is the abiding background in the life of the Christian.

Prayer is a holy art, in which the best of us are but beginners.

When God plans our way, He will not neglect to provide for our wants.

God never makes us feel our weakness except to lead us to seek strength from Him.

When we make all the centre of life, God becomes a mere point on a far-off circumference.

The ground of the Christian's hope is God's word and God's oath, sealed by His love.

If God puts you in a dark place it may be a compliment to the light that is in you.—Ram's Horn.

### Prayed For a Revival.

It is said that in a certain town in New York a good many years ago there occurred a great revival of religion, the work beginning without any known cause. The inquiry was made, "Who is praying? This work must be in answer to somebody's prayers." It was afterwards learned that two old church members, who lived one mile apart, had made arrangements to meet half way between them in a piece of thick bushes every evening at sundown to pray God to revive His work. Their prayers were answered, and one hundred and fifty were added, during the months of July, August and September, to the church.

The Pentecostal revival did not begin with preaching, but with prayer.

### Service.

The old idea of service was that it was degrading. With Christ came the change. And his announcement that the perfect life is one of service for others has been confirmed by nature. Not a molecule exists for its own sake only, but for other parts. The ideal is one of service.—The Rev. James Grant, Watertown, Mass.

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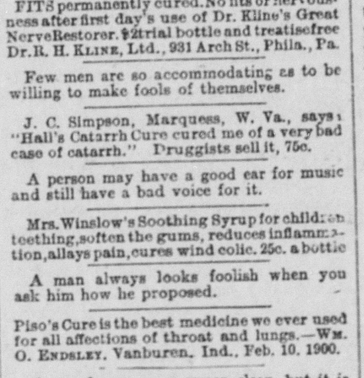
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Immediately after the conclusion of the political campaign in which Horace Greeley was snowed under by U. S. Grant, for the presidency of the United States, the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, in common with thousands of others, felt sad over the terrible desolation of his old friend, and just as soon as Mr. Greeley announced himself once more in journalistic harness, addressed to him the following letter:

"Brooklyn, Nov. 9, 1872.

"My Dear Mr. Greeley: I read your card in the Tribune with sincere pleasure, and congratulate myself and the cause of journalism on your return to a field in which you have won so much reputation and where you have done such service that the history of America cannot be written without including as an important part of it your life and services.

"You may think, amid clouds of smoke and dust, that all your old friends who parted company with you in the late campaign will turn a momentary difference into a life long alienation. It will not be so. I speak for myself, and also from what I perceive in other men's hearts. Your mere political influence may for a time be impaired, but your own power for good in the far wider field of industrial economy, social and civil criticism, and the general well-being of society, will not be lessened, but augmented. It is true that hitherto the times called for a warrior, and such you were; yet I cannot but think with regret how much ability has been spent by you that died with the occasion, and which might have built up positive and permanent elements. But I look upon your years to come as likely to be more fruitful and irradiated with a kind and beneficent light, which will leave your name in honor far greater than if you had reached the highest office.

"I beg that you will pardon my intrusion, especially when you stand in the shadow of a great domestic trouble. I hoped that a word of honest respect and sympathy might not displease you. There are thousands who would like to do as I have done, and who with me will rejoice once more to be in sympathy with you in all things beneficent and patriotic. I am, my dear Mr. Greeley, very truly yours,

"Henry Ward Beecher."

## WIT OF PRESIDENT WOODROW

### New Head of Princeton Makes Himself Popular With Students.

A Princeton man tells of an incident of Dr. Woodrow Wilson's elevation to the presidency of Princeton which he regards as indicative of the way in which he will hold the students in leash by ready wit and a genial smile instead of trying to awe them with his dignity.

When darkness lent cover to the project, on the evening of the day on which the announcement of Dr. Wilson's election was made, some of the more boisterous spirits organized a celebration, and having requisitioned horns and a green grocer's stock of head lettuce, descended upon the new president.

At the first toot of a horn he knew what was coming, but before bedlam could break loose, Dr. Wilson was out among the serenaders, grasping each one by the hand and thanking them individually and collectively for their congratulations, pretending not to see the lettuce heads which the students made desperate efforts to keep out of view and to get rid of.

When the students recovered from this unexpected overthrow of their plans some one shouted:

"What's the matter with Woodrow Wilson?"

And the answer came loud and clear:

"He's all right. He's a brick."

The students then marched away, singing, "For he's a jolly good fellow," and carrying their lettuce heads with them.

### A Very Loud Call.

A committee called on Minister Wu to request him to address a society connected with one of the fashionable churches of Washington. Casual mention was made of the fact that the youthful minister of the church had recently resigned to enter upon a new field of labor on the Pacific coast.

"Why did he resign?" asked Mr. Wu.

"Because he had received a call to another church," was the reply.

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"Ah!" said the disciple of Confucius, "a very loud call!"

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### WHAT PENNYPACKER STANDS FOR.

No Quay machine candidate was ever more clearly branded than ex-Judge Pennypacker. A desperate effort has been made to prevent the truth being known, but in vain. The light has been turned on and the crushing facts so plainly revealed that successful denial is impossible. It was hoped to play another confidence game upon the voters of Pennsylvania; but the scheme of deception has been shown up and each passing day adds to the discreditable story. The past week an effort has been made to excite the interest of young men in behalf of the so-called Republican candidate for governor, while the record of his subserviency to evil influences shows this misguided creature of Quayism to be a most unworthy example. He has earnestly sought to cover the manifold and grievous sins of a political malefactor, who seeks to retain power through using him as a cloak to hide evil doings and purposes.

It is seldom that the story of political intrigue which all honest men must condemn has been so vividly told within the household of Quayism itself. In another column we give the indignant declarations of the most faithful journalistic supporter the Quay machine has in this state. No one can read the bitter denunciations of the Philadelphia Inquirer without perceiving the unprecedented, yet justifiable bitterness caused by Mr. Quay's conduct. What was so freely and frankly said, by way of protest and warning, fairly represented the feelings of nine-tenths of the Republican workers in Pennsylvania; and what they thought and said before and at the time of the state convention, they are still thinking and saying to themselves. They have no love for Democracy; ordinarily they are active and zealous partisans, but they believe in fair play. They are neither sneaks nor hypocrits nor political highwaymen. They have given the Democratic party many a hard tussel, and were ready to do so again this year, until an arrogant boss, to carry out his own selfish purposes, showed his contempt for their wishes and rights.

It is no wonder the Republican party organization in half the counties of the state is standing still in this campaign. The men concerned knew Elkin and believed in him and wanted him for their leader, no matter what other people thought about him. They know nothing of Pennypacker, except that he is the subservient tool of Quay and they don't care what becomes of him. They know that Pennypackerism and Quayism mean one and the same thing, and that is enough to chill the marrow in their bones—at present. Delamater was unpopular enough, but he made a manly canvass of his own, and had earnest friends in many parts of the state.

But Pennypacker is absolutely without personal following or strength anywhere. He is the sole creation of Quayism and has made it abundantly clear that if elected to the governorship he would sink his own feeble will within that of the tyrannical and conscienceless master to whom he owes everything he has been, all that he is and all that he hopes to be in public life. This candidate, indeed, is the biggest sham ever put up by Quay, and his weakness is giving the boss the deepest anxiety.

As the days go by the poll-parrot candidate will grow smaller and smaller, until even the Quay stalwarts will be ashamed of him. Meanwhile, the great battle for the redemption of Pennsylvania from the thralldom and curse of Quayism goes grandly on. Let every good citizen do his part to help this great cause of the people against the bosses; of fair play against machine tyranny; of freemen's rights against political slavery; of honest government against official knavery; of patriotism against despotism.

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The enthusiasm of little Democratic Fulton, at the opening of the campaign for the redemption of the state, is an indication of the coming uprising all along the line. In every county the people are preparing to overwhelm Quayism this time. Let every voter do his share of the work.

## THE DUTY OF HONEST MEN

### Quayism As Seen By the Philadelphia Press Before Pennypackerism Blinded It.

There have been many queer things in Pennsylvania politics, but the backsliding of the Philadelphia Press, under the singular influence of Pennypackerism, furnishes a chapter of journalistic weakness and inconsistency that has no counterpart. Our misguided contemporary can never wipe out the commendable record of many years' vigorous hostility to Quayism and all that it stands for. It told the truth in those days, as it is now trying to hide it. It stood with the people against their enemies. It had no fellowship with an organized band of political highwaymen. It fought bravely for civic righteousness and good government. It turned on the light fearlessly. What it said then is even more apt and forcible now. We give herewith some extracts from the editorial columns of the Press during the senatorial campaign of 1900, when Mr. Quay was making such a desperate fight for re-election and the re-establishment of his power for the rebuilding and strengthening of his broken political machine. Here is what the Press said, pass it along for your self-respecting Republican neighbors to read:

**Repudiate Fraudulent Nominations.**

(July 18.)

"The people have shown more than once that they want fair play and decent politics. They are tired of the dictation and corruption of the machine."

(July 27.)

"The time has come in Pennsylvania when every species of machine election crime must end. Nominations made by fraud at the primaries are not entitled to respect or support, and will have neither from the honest Republicans of the state. The party has been dishonored too much by such methods."

**A Combination Corrupt and Criminal.**

Referring to the turning down of faithful Republican members of the legislature, by orders of the Quay machine, the Press, July 29, said:

"What do the decent citizens of Philadelphia say to this? Are they to permit those who served them to be sacrificed on that account? Do they propose that a combination of all that is corrupt and criminal in our politics, of the black-mailers and ballot thieves, shall control the party nominations and own the representatives of a free city in the legislature? This is the issue that is forced upon them."

**The People Or the Bosses.**

(August 2.)

"The machine is desperate. It will go to any lengths to retrieve itself for the losses it has sustained. Voters should not be led astray by any side issues or grand-stand plays. The real issues to be settled are Quay or anti-Quay, machine domination or individual independence, the people or the bosses."

**No Better Than Highwaymen.**

(August 3.)

"Political thievery is just as contemptible and debasing, and just as amenable to law, as the ordinary scoundrelism that relieves a man of his pocket book, or holds up the wayfarer on the highway under cover of the night."

**"Quay's Doom Sealed."**

(August 7.)

"It will be a happy day for Pennsylvania when it takes its place along with Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Iowa and other Republican states, which are free from bossism and where merit and not subserviency to a boss determines who shall represent the people."

**There Must Be a Clean Sweep.**

"The outlook is most cheering to Pennsylvania reformers, but Quay has around him a gang that is worse than he. There must be a clean sweep. Not only Quay, but Quayism must be beaten, the machine broken up and its power destroyed."

**Yet Pennypacker Is Quay's Own.**

(August 15.)

"After four years of Stone the people of Pennsylvania will surely not be willing to endure another Quay machine governor."

**The Duty of True Republicans.**

(August 30.)

"Fusion is the last resort of life-long Republicans who refuse to be defrauded and disfranchised by a corrupt faction. The Quay machine has been endeavoring systematically to disfranise and read out of the party those Republicans who have refused to accept as the voice of their political conscience the mandates of a few petty, discredited bosses, who are posing as the Republican organization of Pennsylvania. But all the beating of tomtoms and cries of irregularity that machine organs and machine bosses can encourage cannot drive this class of true Republicans from their allegiance, or from their attempts to overthrow the corrupt and conscienceless handful of bosses who have grown rich on the spoils of office, and who seek still further to fasten themselves upon the party for personal gain."

**"Nominations Made By Crime."**

(September 13.)

"No candidate for the legislature nominated by means of fraud and terrorism practiced by police and other office-holders, under the direction of the machine, is entitled to the respect and support of Republican voters as a candidate of the Republican party. Every nomination so made is an outrage and a disgrace which all who care for the good name of the party must unite to repudiate. Quayism has debauched the politics of the state and must be wiped out."

**Honest Election Laws a Supreme Issue**

(September 21.)

"Recent exposures of election crimes have made honest election laws the supreme issue in coming legislation. It is an issue upon which men will not divide on party lines. The self-respect and common honesty of the community are arrayed against the lawless forces of machine corruption. Every honest Republican and every honest Democrat can unite to secure a common result necessary for the honor of the city and the state, and the rights of the people themselves."

**How About Pennypacker?**

(September 23.)

"No Republican is under obligations to respect a nomination made by crime and no really honest Republican will."

**Enemies of Ballot Reform.**

(October 3.)

"At every session of the legislature for eight years an earnest attempt has been made to change the form of ballot and simplify it, and in every instance it has been defeated by the opposition of members who were under the control of Quay and members in its favor were defeated for renomination."

## OPEN CHARGES OF BRIBERY

### The Story of a Political Crime as Told by Quay's Own Disgusted Friends.

The odious and disgraceful records of political bossism and corruption in Pennsylvania may be searched in vain for a parallel to the shameful story of the nomination of Samuel W. Pennypacker as the so-called Republican candidate for governor. This recent history will not soon be forgotten. The name of the machine candidate was not mentioned until a short time before the Harrisburg convention. At Quay's orders Durham deserted his friend, Attorney General Elkin, who was making a most successful canvass for the nomination, and turned in over eighty delegates from Philadelphia for Pennypacker. At the same time Elkin was ordered out of the fight. He publicly refused to be thrown aside and challenged Pennypacker to a contest in the counties yet to be heard from. In a number of places the lines were thus drawn and in every instance, despite all the resources of the Quay machine, the hard work of his federal office-holders and the corrupt use of money, his choice was beaten. Apparently, the Republican voters taking part in the primaries were overwhelmingly for Elkin. When the convention met Quay bull-dozed everything and everybody, taking forty-one pledged delegates from Elkin, and thus forced the unpopular nomination of the candidate of his own choice. Herein is given daily extracts from the editorial columns of the Philadelphia Inquirer, the most stalwart machine and Quay paper in the state, during the days immediately preceding the convention:

**Republicans Under the Lash.**

"The Republicans of Pennsylvania are today under the lash of Senator Quay. In various counties Elkin and Watres have met and fought it out, and in every instance Elkin has won by a direct vote of the people. Everything was going smoothly, when suddenly Senator Quay broke away and plunged his party into confusion. It was an outrageous thing to do. Pennsylvania Republicans are today under the lash. The sentiment of the people must be throttled. The Quay orders are out to line up for the Quay candidate. It is not what the people want, but what Quay wants, and he is going to Harrisburg himself to lay violent hands upon the convention."

**Quay's Method of Making Candidates.**

"Elkin has been making his canvass before the people. Is Quay appealing to the people? By no means. It is easy enough to give orders, but sometimes the people decline to take them, and we shall see whether the people or the orders of Senator Quay are going to prevail in the convention. The Inquirer has great faith in the people; apparently Senator Quay has lost faith in them. There is a splendid opportunity for the people to make themselves heard and to win the fight for fair play."

**The People and the Governorship.**

"The one question before the Republican party of Pennsylvania to-day is whether the people themselves shall name a candidate for governor, or whether a single individual shall dictate one. Majority rule or one-man dictation—that is the question before the Republican voters of Pennsylvania today."

**Quay's Political Crime.**

"'I refuse to be ordered out, bartered out or forced out,' said Elkin. He will not withdraw. He has been gaining in strength since Quay committed his political crime. It does not seem to be Mr. Quay's way to appeal to the people this year."

**Give the People Their Way.**

"Some years ago the popular choice of the Republicans of Pennsylvania for governor was General Hastings. Senator Quay insisted upon taking the convention by the throat and nominating Delamater. The result is history. The people could not be controlled. They made up their minds there had not been fair play, and Pattison was elected governor. History repeats itself sometimes."

**Trying to Bribe Delegates.**

"The Inquirer is in possession of evidence in several cases, showing attempts to bribe Elkin delegates. The coming convention must be conducted in all fairness, or the result may be disastrous."

**Elkin's Appeal For Fair Play.**

"Elkin is making a grand fight for fair play against the power of federal office-holders and ring rule. Here is what he says: 'Under the circumstances, I would be lacking in a proper appreciation of the duties of citizenship if I failed in standing for a principle that is dear to every Pennsylvania heart; that is to say, that each man shall have a fair chance in an open field before the people on every question in which the public has an interest.'"

**Desperate Work of Boodlers.**

"It is Philadelphia and boodle against Elkin. We do not believe a single delegate can be bribed, bought or stolen. The fight against him is not that of the people, but cash offers of desperate politicians, who seek to strangle the people, the work of federal office-holders. Quay has tried to cut the throat of the best friend he ever had. He has demanded that Republican leaders join hands in this crime. It would be ruinous for them to do so."

**The Dollar Mark of Infamy.**

"Any instructed delegate who refuses to vote for Elkin will have the dollar mark of infamy on his brow. All sorts of debauchery is being attempted. One Schuylkill county delegate has been offered $10,000 and a good position thrown in. A commonwealth strangled or bought would invite destruction."

**The Crime Consummated.**

On the morning of the convention the Inquirer's Harrisburg special telegram said:

"The straits to which Quay was driven was shown by the direct steal of four delegates by the state committee, acting under his orders. Two Schuylkill men were offered $8,000 each, and refused to take it, so they were thrown out. It was brutally done; but, as Senator Penrose said, the votes were needed and they had to be taken."

**Forty-one Delegates Taken.**

The day following the convention the Inquirer's Harrisburg correspondent reported Elkin as openly declaring to his friends that "41 delegates, pledged and elected," had been taken from him.

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## DEATHS.

MRS. SARAH SHOPE.

The death of Mrs. Sarah Shope took place at State College, at the home of her son J. B. Shope, Sunday morning, 14th inst. She was aged almost eighty years. Interment took place at Milesburg, which town was her home for many years.

CARL MILLER SMULL.

Carl Miller Smull, a ten-months-old son of C. H. and Ella Smull, of Rebersburg, died Wednesday afternoon after an illness of but two days. Interment took place Friday in the Union cemetery at Rebersburg, Rev. Harman, of the Lutheran church officiating.

HIRAM CAIN.

The death of Hiram Cain took place Sunday 14th, at his home in Georges Valley, near Spring Mills, from the effects of paralysis, after an illness of two weeks. The deceased was aged forty-six years and two months.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one daughter, Birdie, wife of Ammon Vonada, of Georges Valley; one son, James Cain, of Altoona, and the following half brothers and sisters also survive: Robert Coldron, Patton; Mrs. Ezra Harter, Millheim, and Mrs Freeman, Reading.

MRS. FREDERICK GUMMO.

Mrs. Frederick Gummo, wife of Charles Gummo, of near Waddle, died Monday of heart disease. She was a native of Germany and was aged seventy-two years. The deceased was the mother of eleven children, and is survived by the following, as well as by her husband: Charles and William, Wisconsin; Fred, George, Andrew and David, Halfmoon Valley; Mrs. Cora Gettig, Braddock; John, Fairbrook; Mrs. Adam Love, Pine Hall; Mrs. Samuel A. Dunlap, of Pine Grove Mills, and Kate, at home.

JAMES CLARK.

James Clark, who has been the well known justice of the peace of Beech Creek since 1802, died at his home in that borough Tuesday morning of last week of the infirmities of old age.

He was born July 26, 1821. In addition to serving the people of Beech Creek as justice, he also was chief burgess for many years and held other borough offices. His wife died many years ago, but he is survived by the following named children: William L., Robert H., Harry B., Mrs. A. B. Brady and Miss Josephine, of Beech Creek; John W., of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Keyes, of Maple Grove, Mo.

MRS. EMMA C. HARTMAN.

Emma C. Hartman, wife of J. H. B. Hartman, died at her home on Penn street, Millheim, September 10, aged forty-two years. She was the only daughter of Jesse and Mary Wert, of Aaronsburg, and leaves a father and two brothers, James A. Wert, of Tusseyville, and Luther W. Wert, of Aaronsburg, to survive her. J. H. B. Hartman and Emma C. Wert were united in wedlock in 1878, and two children blessed this union, Mary E. and Marguerite Ruth, the latter preceding the mother to the spirit world about three years ago, says the Journal. Mrs. Hartman had been an invalid for eight years and for three and a half years had been unable to walk. Rev. Sheeder, of the Lutheran church conducted the services.

PERRY A. McDOWELL.

Perry A. McDowell, of Abdera, one of the most prominent residents in that section of Centre county, died at his home Friday of last week. Interment took place Sunday at Jacksonville.

The deceased was a native of Mifflin county, but during the forties moved into Marion township at which place he has since resided. He was an ardent supporter of Democracy, and years ago was a candidate for the nomination for county treasurer. He accumulated considerable wealth which was invested in farm lands.

Mr. McDowell's wife died about four years ago, not, however, before their golden wedding had been celebrated. The deceased reached the age of eighty-five years and ten days.

The following children survive: Mrs. Blair, Urbana, Ohio; Mrs. James Allison, Adams county, Ohio; Harvey T. McDowell, Abdera; Mrs. Dr. J. E. Tibbens, Beech Creek; Mrs. Capt. S. H. Bennison, Abdera.

The funeral was largely attended by friends and relatives from all parts of the county.

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**Reduced Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.**

On account of the meeting of National Wholesale Druggists' Association, at Monterey, Cal., October 7 to 11, 1902, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to San Francisco or Los Angeles from all stations on its lines, from September 28 to 30, inclusive, at reduced rates. These tickets will be good for return passage until November 15, inclusive, when executed by Joint Agent to Los-Angeles or San Francisco and payment of 50 cents made for this service. For specific information regarding rates and routes, apply to Ticket Agents. sept19-2t

For Governor—ROBERET E. PATTISON.
For Lieut. Gov.—GEORGE W. GUTHRIE.
Sec. Int. Affairs—JAMES NOLAN.
For Congress—D. E. Hibner, of Clearfield county.
For State Senate, W. C. Heinle, of Centre county.

**THE COUNTY TICKET.**

*For Assembly:*
J. W. KEPLER, of Ferguson Twp.
J. H. WETZEL, of Bellefonte.
*For Sheriff:*
H. S. TAYLOR, of Bellefonte.
*For Register:*
A. G. ARCHEY, of Ferguson Twp.
*For Recorder:*
JOHN C. ROWE, of Philipsburg.
*For Treasurer:*
W. J. CARLIN, of Miles Twp.
*For Commissioner:*
E. A. HUMPTON, of Snow Shoe Twp.
P. H. MEYER, of Harris Twp.
*For Auditor:*
H. J. BECK, of Walker Twp.
W. H. TIBBENS, of College Twp.

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There must have been a big bunch of Republicans away on a visit the day Cousin Sam said there were no ills in Pennsylvania.

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Take two cups of hot water half an hour before each meal and just before going to bed, also a drink of water, hot or cold, about two hours after each meal. Take lots of outdoor exercise—walk, ride or drive. Make a regular habit of this and in many cases chronic constipation may be cured without the use of any medicine. When a purgative is required take something mild and gentle like Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by J. F. Smith, H. F. Rossman, J. B. Fisher's Sons.

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WANTED—An up-to-date man for manager and general agent of this county by the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia. Salary and commissions to right man. Address, with references, F. M. Wheaton, 112 N. Broad St., Philadelphia Penna. o Oct 9

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Josh Westhafer, of Loogootee, Ind., is a poor man, but he says he would not be without Chamberlain's Pain Balm if it cost five dollars a bottle, for it saved him from being a cripple. No external application is equal to this liniment for stiff and swollen joints, contracted muscles, stiff neck, sprains and rheumatic and muscular pains. It has also cured numerous cases of partial paralysis. It is for sale by J. F. Smith, H. F. Rossman, and J. B. Fisher's Son's.





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PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division and Northern Central Railway.

Time Table in effect May 25, '02.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTANDON. EAST.

7.37 a. m.—Train 64. Week days for Sunbury, Harrisburg, arriving at Philadelphia, 12.10 a. m., New York 2.13 p. m., Baltimore 12.10 p. m., Washington 1.15 p. m. Parlor car and passenger coach to Philadelphia.

9.55 a. m.—Train 30. Daily for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Harrisburg and intermediate stations. Week days for Scranton, Hazleton, and Pottsville. Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington. Through passenger coaches to Philadelphia.

3 p. m.—Train 12. Weekdays for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6.25 p. m., New York 9.20 p. m., Baltimore, 6.00 p. m. Washington at 7.15 p. m. Parlor car through to Philadelphia, and passenger coaches to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

4.54 p. m.—Train 29. Weekdays for Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, and daily to Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10.20 p. m. New York 3.53 a. m. Baltimore 9.45 p. m. Washington 10.55 p. m. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.05 p. m.—Train 6. Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 4.25 a. m. New York at 7.13 a. m., Baltimore, 2.30 a. m., Washington, 4.05 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7.30 a. m.

2.32 a. m.—Train 4 daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and points east and south, arriving at Philadelphia 7.22 a. m., New York 9.23 a. m. (10.38 a. m. Sundays,) Baltimore 7.15 a. m., Washington 8.30 a. m. Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.

5.33 a. m.—Train 3. (Daily) For Erie, Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, and intermediate stations, with passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester. Week days for DuBois, Bellefonte, and Pittsburg. On Sundays only Pullman sleeper to Philadelphia.

10.00 a. m.—Train 31. (Daily) For Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and weekdays for Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg and the West, with through cars to Tyrone.

1.31 p. m.—Train 61. Weekdays for Kane, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pittsburg, Canandaigua and intermediate stations Syracuse Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester, and Parlor car to Philadelphia.

5.27 p. m.—Train 1. Week days for Renovo Elmira and intermediate stations.

10.00 p. m.—Train 67. Weekdays for Williamsport and intermediate stations Through Parlor Car and Passenger Coach for Philadelphia.

9.10 p. m.—Train 23 Sunday only, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD.
Week days.

| Westward. P M | A.M. | STATIONS. | Eastward. A M | P M |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 38 | 5 40 | Montandon | 9 10 | 5 5 |
| 1 45 | 5 39 | Lewisburg | 9 06 | 4 42 |
| 1 55 | 5 38 | Biehl | 8 58 | 4 35 |
| 1 57 | 5 42 | Vicksburg | 8 53 | 4 31 |
| 2 05 | 5 50 | Mifflinburg | 8 45 | 4 24 |
| 2 16 | 7 02 | Millmont | 8 33 | 4 13 |
| 2 23 | 7 09 | Glen Iron | 8 26 | 4 06 |
| 2 51 | 7 40 | Paddy Mountain | 8 00 | 3 41 |
| 3 02 | 7 50 | Coburn | 7 50 | 3 30 |
| 3 08 | 7 57 | Zerby | 7 43 | 3 25 |
| 3 17 | 8 05 | Rising Spring | 7 35 | 3 17 |
| 3 23 | 8 11 | Penn Cave | 7 28 | 3 10 |
| 3 30 | 8 18 | Centre Hall | 7 22 | 3 05 |
| 3 35 | 8 24 | Gregg | 7 17 | 2 58 |
| 3 42 | 8 31 | Linden Hall | 7 10 | 2 51 |
| 3 46 | 8 35 | Oak Hall | 7 06 | 2 47 |
| 3 50 | 8 39 | Lemont | 7 02 | 2 43 |
| 3 54 | 8 43 | Dale Summit | 6 57 | 2 38 |
| 4 03 | 8 52 | Pleasant Gap | 6 48 | 2 29 |
| 4 06 | 8 55 | Axemann | 6 45 | 2 26 |
| 4 10 | 9 00 | Bellefonte | 6 40 | 2 15 |

Additional trains leave Lewisburg for Montandon at 5.20 a. m. 7.25 a. m., 9.45 a. m. 1.15 5.15 and 7.50 p. m. returning leave Montandon for Lewisburg at 7.40, 9.30 a. m. 10.03 a. m. 5.00 5.32 p. m. and 8.07 p. m.

On Sundays trains leave Montandon 9.26 and 10.01 a. m and 4.55 p. m., returning leave Lewisburg 9.28 a. m., 10.03 a. m. and 4.57 p. m.

J. B. HUTCHINSON, J. A. WOOD,
General Manager. Gen'l Pass'r Agt.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table.

| Read Down No. 1 | No 3 | No 5 | June 23, 1900 | Read Up. No 6 | No 4 | No 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| a. m | p. m. | p. m. | Lv. Ar | p. m. | p. m | a. m. |
| †7 00 | †2 40 | †6 50 | ...BELLEFONTE | 10 10 | 5 10 | 9 30 |
| 7 11 | 2 51 | 7 01 | .....Nigh..... | 9 57 | 4 57 | 9 17 |
| 7 16 | 2 56 | 7 06 | .....Zion..... | 9 51 | 4 51 | 9 11 |
| 7 23 | 3 03 | 7 13 | ...Hecla Park... | 9 45 | 4 45 | 9 05 |
| 7 25 | 3 05 | 7 15 | .....Dunkles..... | 9 42 | 4 42 | 9 02 |
| 7 29 | 3 09 | 7 19 | ..HUBLERSB'G.. | 9 38 | 4 39 | 8 58 |
| 7 33 | 3 14 | 7 23 | ...Snydertown... | 9 34 | 4 35 | 8 54 |
| 7 35 | 3 15 | 7 25 | .....Nittany..... | 9 31 | 4 32 | 8 51 |
| 7 37 | 3 17 | 7 27 | .....Huston..... | 9 28 | 4 29 | 8 48 |
| 7 41 | 3 21 | 7 31 | .....LAMAR..... | 9 25 | 4 26 | 8 45 |
| 7 43 | 3 23 | 7 33 | ...Clintondale... | 9 22 | 4 23 | 8 42 |
| 7 47 | 3 27 | 7 37 | ..Krider's S'n g. | 9 18 | 4 18 | 8 38 |
| 7 51 | 3 31 | 7 41 | ...Mackeyville... | 9 13 | 4 13 | 8 33 |
| 7 57 | 3 37 | 7 47 | ..Cedar Springs. | 9 07 | 4 07 | 8 27 |
| 8 00 | 3 40 | 7 50 | .....Salona..... | 9 05 | 4 05 | 8 25 |
| 8 05 | 3 45 | 7 55 | .MIDL HALL.. | †9 00 | †4 00 | †8 20 |
| 11 45 | 8 38 | | .....Jersey Shore..... | 3 25 | 7 | |
| 12 20 | 9 10 | Arr. | Wm'PO'T | Lve | †2 50 | †7 |
| †12 29 | | Lve | | Arr. | 2 30 | |
| | | (Philad. & Reading Ry.) | | | | |
| 7 31 | | | .....PHILA..... | | †8 36 | |
| 10 40 | | | .....NEW YORK..... | | †4 25 | |
| | | (Via Philad.) | | | | |
| p m | | Ar | | Lv | a m | |

†Week Days.

10 10.....Ar New York.....Lv.....4 00
(Via Tamaqua)

J. W. GEPHART,
General Superintendent

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD.
To take effect May 25, 1896.

| EASTWARD. 12¼ | 8¼ | 2¼ | STATIONS. | | 11¾ | 7¾ | 11¾ | WESTWARD |
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| PM | PM | AM | Ar, | Lv. | A M | AM | PM | |
| 6 30 | 1 10 | 8 45 | .....Bellefonte..... | | 6 30 | 10 30 | 4 21 | |
| 6 20 | 1 02 | 8 40 | .....Coleville..... | | 6 37 | 10 37 | 4 26 | |
| 6 16 | 12 58 | 8 37 | .....Morris..... | | 6 40 | 10 42 | 4 30 | |
| 6 10 | 12 54 | 8 35 | .....Whitmer..... | | 6 44 | 10 47 | 4 33 | |
| 6 05 | 12 49 | 8 31 | .....Hunters..... | | 6 50 | 10 53 | 4 38 | |
| 6 02 | 12 45 | 8 28 | .....Fillmore..... | | 6 53 | 10 56 | 4 42 | |
| 5 57 | 12 41 | 8 24 | .....Brialy..... | | 7 00 | 11 02 | 4 47 | |
| 5 53 | 12 37 | 8 20 | .....Waddle..... | | 7 05 | 11 05 | 4 52 | |
| 5 50 | 12 35 | 8 18 | ....Scotia Crossing.... | | 7 08 | 11 08 | 4 54 | |
| 5 36 | 12 26 | 8 [illegible] | .....Krumrine..... | | 7 17 | 11 20 | 5 03 | |
| 5 33 | 12 24 | 8 04 | .....Struble..... | | 7 20 | 11 24 | 5 00 | |
| 5 31 | 12 22 | 8 02 | .....Inn..... | | 7 28 | 11 28 | 5 08 | |
| 5 30 | 12 20 | 8 00 | .....State College..... | | 7 30 | 11 30 | 5 10 | |

Morning trains from Montandon, Williamsport Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 7 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon, Lewisburg and Tyrone connect with Train No. 11 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna. R. R. trains at Bellefonte.

‡Daily except Sunday.

F. H. THOMAS, Supt.

All the news of Centre county and Central Pennsylvania for $1.00.

## Spring Mills.

D. N. Kennelley, of this village, met with quite a serious loss last week. In walking from Dr. Braught's office to the stores, he lost his pocket book containing twenty-nine dollars, obtained by hard work. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to the owner.

H. B. Miller formerly an employee at Allison's flouring mill, having secured a desirable position in the car shops at Renovo, moved his family and effects to that place on Monday last. All are very sorry to lose Mr. Miller; he was an excellent citizen, affable and always a gentleman.

Bricklayers will soon begin work on the new Lutheran church building.

A. Corman and son will operate their cider presses here and at Tusseyville, every Tuesday and Thursday during the season.

Apple butter making seems to be the general order of the day. About every third family is engaged in the boiling business. In this valley apples are very plentiful and cheap. Peaches a fair crop, but they command good figures.

Krape's shoe emporium was formerly head quarters for general news, and the discussion of political questions of the day. But since the postoffice is located there, Mr Krape will not allow any discussions of a political character nor any noisy arguments, and the large and small fry politicians are annoyed and are now wondering where their scant oratory can spend itself in fumes and vapor.

Robert Neese, one of the firm of Neese Bros., of Auburn, New York, is home for a few weeks, visiting his mother and sisters. Mr. Neese and his brothers, Howard, Frank and Wallace are engaged in manufacturing gasoline engines.

Floyd Bowersox, the village blacksmith, has been on the sick list for the past week.

## Woodward.

Daniel Duggan, a clerk in the postoffice at Buffalo, New York, is spending his vacation at the home of C. W. Hosterman.

Miss Caroline Yearick, of Mifflinburg, is visiting friends at this place.

Quite a number from this place attended the picnic at Centre Hall last Thursday.

Mrs. C. D. Motz and son visited friends at Linden Hall and Centre Hall a few days last week.

Joseph Ard sold his horse to John Rutherford last week.

The members of the Evangelical church will hold a Y. P. A. convention at this place the 4th and 5th of October.

## Oak Hall.

Oak Hall was well represented at the Grangers' picnic as well as at the show in Bellefonte.

Mrs. Amos Garbrick and Mrs. David Hoy and two little daughters, of Bellefonte, spent Thursday with Mrs. E K. Smith.

Miss Bertha Barnhart returned to Williamsport Friday, after spending a week with her parents.

Misses Myrtle and Grace Barnhart spent Saturday with friends at State College.

Harry Wagner transacted business in Lemont on Monday.

W. W. Tate and family spent Sunday at A. J. Tate's at Dales Summit.

George Glenn and family, of Lemont, spent Sunday at the home of Daniel Lauder.

Luther Dale visited his parents recently.

## Boalsburg.

George Garbrick, of Bellefonte, spent several days recently at the home of Alfred Osman.

Mrs. Jennie Hunter left for Pittsburg last week, where she expects to spend a few weeks visiting among friends.

Elmer Ishler and family, of Centre Hall, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Ishler.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Mothersbaugh spent a few days at the home of T. Mothersbaugh.

Mrs. Frank Brown accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Robert Condo, visited among friends at State College last Friday.

Miss Lizzie Rupp, of Altoona, is visiting her cousin, Miss Claudie Wieland.

Charles Moffat, of Pittsburg, is visiting his grandmother Cole, at this place.

The Lutherans have made extensive repairs on the parsonage; new windows have been put in and the interior of the house has been repapered.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beck, of Penna. Furnace, visited at the home of John Jacobs on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mothersbaugh spent last Friday at the home of Samuel Glenn, at Slab Cabin.

Miss Mary Young, of Altoona, is visiting her friend, Miss Beulah Fortney.

Mrs. Emma Stuart has sold her property in town. The sale comprised the hotel, lot and store building. Mr. Kidder, of Huntingdon county, was the purchaser; he is a brother of the enterprising physician, Dr. L. E. Kidder.

## Colyer.

Mrs. J. H. Moyer and daughter Blanche, visited in Penn Hall and Spring Mills several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Millheim, spent Friday at the home of Samuel Slack.

Public schools opened last Monday with a fair attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rickert and family, of this place, after spending a week in Millersburg returned home on Saturday.

Charles Bottorf, who is employed at Yeagertown, visited at home over Sunday; he expects to move his household goods to that place in a short time.

Potatoes are rotting in this section and some of the farmers are obliged to haul them out.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra C. Ripka and daughter Kathryn, of Lewistown, were the guests of Henry Moyer several days last week.

Arthur Holderman, who is employed at Burnham, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Lee and son Charles, of Boalsburg, visited in this place Sunday.

Charles Weiser, of Altoona, visited at the home of J. S. Housman several days last week.

Mrs. Emanuel Smith and daughter Ray, of Potters Mills, visited at the home of Henry Moyer on Sunday.

Wallace Weaver, son of A. J. Weaver, left last Monday for Reading, where he will enter college.

Mrs. George Bitner, of Rock Grove, visited at the home of G. R. Meiss on Sunday.

Lloyd Kerlin and sons, Frank and Gust, of Mahontango, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Jordan, of this place several days last week.

Miss Edna Horner returned to Bellefonte Saturday, after a visit with her parents at this place.

## Millheim.

W. W. Smith and family moved back to State College Monday after having spent the last three months as residents of this town.

Edward Confer left on Monday morning for Meyerstown, where he will attend Albright College.

W. H. Smith and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. David Stoner, in Tusseyville this week.

Mrs. J. C. Smith and her daughter Minerva, spent several days last week visiting friends in Nittany Valley.

Mrs. Eugene Ricker, of Scranton, arrived in town on Saturday, and will spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cantner, on Penn street.

Miss Carter, of Spring Mills, was entertained at the home of Harvey Confer over Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Mauck and Miss Della Reighard visited Mrs. George Smull, at Smullton, over Sunday.

Ed. Brown and Miss Keller, of State College, spent Sunday at the home of Henry Brown, on Main street.

Among those from this place who attended "Pawnee Bill's Show" in Bellefonte on Saturday were, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith and Mrs. H. N. Meyer.

All are glad to learn that Mrs. J. P. Condo, who had been very ill last week, is able to be up and around at this writing.

J. H. Reifsnyder and D. L. Zerby transacted business in Bellefonte on Monday.

Reiley Bower, of Rote, visited at the home of J. C. Smith over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Geary went to Philadelphia Monday morning to purchase her Fall stock of Millinery goods.

Mrs. G. S. Frank, Mrs. Mary Miller, and Mrs. L. E. Stover, are attending the Woman's Missionary convention which is being held in the Lutheran church at Pine Grove Mills this week.

Steward Keen took a trip to Milroy last Sunday.

The Camp of Modern Woodmen of America have taken in several new members the past week and a number of applications are in for the next meeting. Let the good work go on.

Dentist W. S. Harter, of State College, was in town Tuesday on business pertaining to the estate of his uncle, the late Dr. J. F. Harter.

The Standard Concert Company, which was at Grange Park last week, gave a concert to a full house Saturday night, and will be here several nights this week.

S. M. Campbell took a load of fourteen persons to Grange Encampment last Thursday, on his furniture wagon.

### House and Lot for Sale.

The Bitner homestead in Centre Hall is offered for sale by the owner, Rev. Robert O'boyle, in order to close out the estate. The property consists of dwelling house, outbuildings, stable and about five acres of land. The location is pleasant, and will make a splendid home. For further particulars inquire of W. B. Mingle, Centre Hall. tf

### A Communication.

MR. EDITOR—Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered for three years with the bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine, which has completely relieved me.—W. S. Brockman, Bagnell, Mo. This remedy is for sale by J. F. Smith, H. F. Rossman, and J. B. Fisher's Son's.


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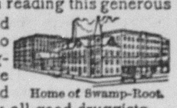
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### The Great Centre County Fair.

This fair will be held in Bellefonte, Pa., on the beautiful Fair Grounds, September 30th, October 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 1902. Great attention has been paid by the management during the last summer to the improvement of the grounds and buildings and betterment of the race track, the record of which is already 2:15. It is believed that the track is even better than ever and the horsemen who have seen it this summer pronounce it one of the best in the State. The Premium Book this year is especially interesting and there is every indication that the exhibits will be of a high grade of excellence. Fine racing and free attractions, together with all kinds of orderly and decent amusements will make this a most attractive occasion. Excursion tickets will be sold from all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad at reduced rates and special return trains will be run over the Lewisburg and Tyrone Railroad from Bellefonte as far as Coburn, stopping at all intermediate stations, on Thursday and Friday of Fair week, October 2nd and 3rd, leaving Bellefonte each evening at 7:00 p. m.

JOHN BLANCHARD,
Bellefonte, Pa. Secretary.

### IT LEADS THEM ALL.

**Pennsylvania's Popular Inter-County Fair at Milton.**

The Milton fair, which enjoys the distinction of being the best all round fair in Central Pennsylvania, will hold its fall meeting this year on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The management have been particularly active this year in arranging for one of the best exhibitions the association ever held. The exhibits promise to exceed any previous year in the society's history. The attractions will be entirely new and novel and the races, unless all signs fail, will be up to the standard. In addition to the usual features of the county fair, several state celebrities are expected to be here during the week and address the people. Milton is accessible by rail from every direction and all railroads running to Milton and their connections will have a special train service with reduced rates. Come to Milton—the fair's patrons are never disappointed or dissatisfied.


### A Certain Cure for Dysentery and Diarrhoea

"Some years ago I was one of a party that intended making a long bicycle trip," says F. L Taylor, of New Albany, Bradford county, Pa. "I was taken suddenly with diarrhoea, and was about to give up the trip, when editor Ward, of the Laceyville Messenger, suggested that I take a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and diarrhoea Remedy. I purchased a bottle and took two doses, one before starting and one on the route. I made the trip successfully and never felt any ill effect. Again last summer I was almost completely run down with an attack of dysentery. I bought a bottle of this same remedy and this time one dose cured me." Sold by J. F. Smith, H. F. Rossman, J. B. Fisher's Son's.


PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—THE undersigned, Executor of the estate of William Weaver, deceased, will sell on the premises of tract No. 2,

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1902, 1 P. M.

the following tracts of land:

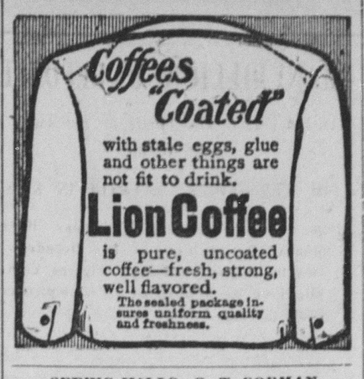
No. 1. Farm of 133 acres, located one mile north west of Farmers Mills, Pa., bounded by lands of G. D. Armbruster, W. F. Smith, John Weaver, John Taylor, Wm. Allison, W. A. Krise, and James Weaver, containing 133 acres and 156 perches. Thereon erected good two-story dwelling house, bank barn, implement shed, butcher's house, pig pen and outbuildings. A never failing spring of water near the house, large orchard of choice fruit, small fruit about the house. Farm in good state of cultivation; about 35 acres well timbered.

Tract No. 2 is located one-fourth mile north west of Farmers Mills, bounded by lands of Jacob Neese, Ilgen estate and J. B. Fisher's estate, containing 2 acres, more or less. Thereon erected a two-story dwelling house, stable with manure shed attached, cabinet shop and all necessary outbuildings; well and cistern at the house. Premises conveniently located on the road leading to Spring Mills.

Tract No. 3 is the undivided one-third of a tract adjoining tract No. 1, bounded by lands of W. A. Krise, Kryder, Mingle and Arney and C. Armbruster, containing 104 acres and 45 perches, more or less. Thereon erected new two-story dwelling house, bank barn almost as good as new, large building for handling peaches, etc. This property is known as the Weaver peach orchard, and has growing on it between 5000 and 6000 peach trees, together with a large variety of grapes and other fruit.

One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, one-third in one year, and the balance in two years, with interest. Deferred payments to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. Returnable at argument court.

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Farmers Mills, Pa.



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WM. PEALER,
Administrator,
Spring Mills, Pa

FARM FOR SALE.—THE UNDERSIGNED will offer at public sale

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NOTICE—NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs M. and Edward Sweetwood neglected to lift two deer heads mounted by me, and that the same will be sold at public sale, Saturday, September 27, 1902, at one o'clock, at my place of business in Spring Mills, Pa., unless the owners come forward, and pay expenses incurred, including the cost of advertising.

J. I. SNAVELY.
Sept. 9, 1902, Spring Mills, Pa.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—IN THE ORPHANS' Court of Centre County, in the matter of the estate of A. E. Meyer, late of Potter township, deceased, the undersigned an Auditor appointed by the said court, to hear and pass upon the exception filed to the account of Edward Sellers, administrator, and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, A. D. 1902 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at his office, No. 11, High street, Bellefonte, Pa., at which time and place all parties are required to present and prove their claims or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

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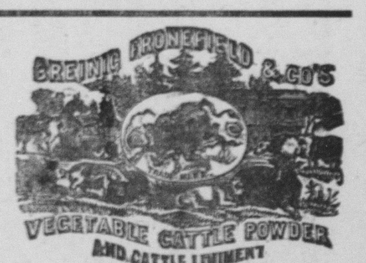
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**Enthusiastic Reception Given the President at Detroit.**

**HE REVIEWS MANY CANADIANS.**

**The President Declares in His Address to the Spanish War Veterans That He Proposes to Continue the Agitation for Closer Relations With Cuba—Leading Incidents of His Entertainment.**

Detroit, Mich. (Special).—President Roosevelt's two days' visit to Detroit came to an end at the conclusion of a banquet tendered him in Light Guard Armory, by the Spanish War Veterans, the opening of whose third annual reunion he attended.

It was a brilliant event. Nearly 800 men sat at tables on the floor of the big armory, and the galleries were crowded to their utmost capacity by brilliantly gowned women and their escorts. The armory was decorated in green and white maple branches and electric lights were everywhere.

When the President rose to begin his address, which was the first of the evening, he received an ovation. The men on the floor stood up and cheered again and again, while the clapping of hands from the gallery was like the crackle of musketry.

The banquet was the culmination of an extremely busy day for the President. At 11 o'clock he drove to Light Guard Armory and attended the opening session of the third annual reunion of Spanish War Veterans.

He was given a tumultuous welcome by the soldiers, and his speech was enthusiastically received. He eulogized the veterans of the Spanish war for their deeds, and declared that we have no apologies to make for the war in Cuba or in the Philippines. As a result of the latter, he said, we will give the Filipinos life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness such as they never knew under a cruel oligarchy operating through the society of the Katipunan.

President Roosevelt drove from the armory to the steamer Tashmoo, on board of which he spent three hours riding on the river. Every steam craft on the river saluted the Tashmoo with ear-splitting blasts of the whistle and the steamer Yantic, U. S. N., fired a Presidential salute of twenty-one guns as the Tashmoo left her wharf.

### FOUR KILLED AND FIVE INJURED.

**Seven Also Missing Behind the Walls of Mine Wrecked.**

Fairmont, W. Va. (Special).—Four men are dead, three of them unidentified, and their faces and bodies so badly burned and blackened that identification is almost impossible, and five others are lying in different wards at the Miners' Hospital here suffering from cuts, bruises and other injuries as a result of a gas explosion at a coal shaft located at Stafford, this county. The superintendent claims that at the usual hour of beginning operations 16 men went to the bottom of the shaft, which is 280 feet, thence into their respective rooms of working. The disaster was caused by the gas from a leaking pipe that extends several feet back in the shaft being ignited from a lamp carried by one of the miners now lying dead.

### WILL STAY SIX WEEKS IN AIR.

**Claims Made for His Flying Machine By Inventor Hunt.**

New York (Special).—E. J. Hunt, an inventor, 152 East Fortieth street, declares he has completed the model of a flying machine that will be able to stay six weeks in the air. In his workshop Mr. Hunt has a model of his airship 20 inches long. This, he says, has flown about the room carrying a five-pound weight.

The airship is to be built of aluminum and is to weigh about 68 pounds. In shape the model is like the body of a bird, and from the sides project a pair of light wings. Mr. Hunt says he does not need any balloons to keep this flying machine afloat, and uses no motors.

"Take a turkey and pick off its feathers, and you have some idea of the shape and principle of my airship," he said. "It is really a bird, and, with the wings, which have a spread of 27 feet, are so light you could balance them on one hand."

**Tragedy Follows Boys' Quarrel.**

Jackson, Ky. (Special).—As the result of a quarrel between two boys near Callahan's store, on Longs Creek, this county, Garden Denton was instantly killed, Harrison McDaniel and "Dutch" Burton were probably fatally wounded, and Willie Burton, Bud Thompson and Rhodes Hall were slightly wounded. According to the story of the fight received here 8 or 10 men and boys were on their way home from a mill when two of the boys became involved in a fist fight over some trivial matter. Others joined in, pistols were drawn and the fight became general.

**America's Gift to Boers.**

Rotterdam (By Cable).—General Botha, the former Boer commander, in a speech here said he had received $100,000 in aid of the destitute Boers from Arthur White, an American, and appealed to others to follow his example, as the general's purpose of obtaining further compensation for property destroyed had failed. They had no intention of changing the peace conditions, but they appealed for assistance for the 16,000 wounded, many of whom were incapable of working, and those who had lost everything.

**Broke Jail to See Dying Mother.**

Wheeling, W. Va. (Special).—Edward K. Williams, convicted of the murder of a companion in a lower state mining camp, broke out of jail, visited his dying mother and then surrendered himself to the authorities. The prisoner, whose exploit is a most remarkable one, was ordered sent to the State prison for twenty years and had been sent to the Hinton jail to await the convenience of officers who were to take him to Moundsville.

## SUMMARY OF THE LATEST NEWS.

**Domestic.**

William Phillips and William Owens, rivals in love, had a fight in Langdale, Ala., in which Owens was instantly killed and Phillips mortally wounded.

Ten warrants were issued at York, Pa., for the arrest of William O. Thompson, treasurer of York county, who is charged with forgery and embezzlement.

American forces commanded by Capt. John J. Pershing captured seven forts and killed 25 Moros and wounded 20 on the Island of Mindanao, P. I.

Detective Thomas J. Sharkey was held by the coroner's jury in $10,000 for causing the death of Banker Nicholas Fish in New York.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw explained in Chicago that if the subtreasuries were abolished now it would release about $83,000,000.

President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, said the striking miners will be able to hold out for months.

The transport Solace arrived at San Francisco with naval officers and marines from the Philippines.

Luther Brooks, a jealous painter, shot and killed Mrs. Nellie Carver at Baldwinsville, N. Y.

Mrs. Margaret Burk, of Pittsburg, was frightened to death by a terrifying dream.

The United States cruiser Des Moines was launched at the Fort River Shipyards, at Quincy, Mass., Miss Elsie Macomber, of Des Moines, christening her, while Miss Clara N. Carlbor, of Haverhill, Mass., cut the ropes which started her down the ways.

Fifteen hundred factory operatives employed by the American Iron and Steel Manufacturing Company who struck against the employment of negroes returned to work.

The Moorhead Brothers' Company of Pittsburg received the first consignment of a large order of muck iron from Germany.

Dr. Walter Curry, a brother of former United States Minister Curry, died while on a visit to friends in Brandford, Conn.

Mrs. A. Stapeling Shoridon leaped overboard from the steamer La Touraine while the steamship was en route to New York.

The murder of Mrs. Annie Pulitzer, whose nude body was found in the Morris Canal, has been cleared up, and the police of New York claim she was murdered by a man named Hooper Young in a cheap tenement at 103 West Fifty-eighth street.

Peter Hermia, who shot and killed Barney Kanter in Hackensack, N. J., because the latter refused to sell him five cents' worth of dog meat, was hanged after a desperate struggle with the sheriff's deputies.

The American Window-glass Company, the Federation of Co-operative Manufacturers and the Window-glass Workers' Assembly of Pittsburg have effected an agreement as to the wage scale.

Three train crews refused to handle nonunion coal from the Reading Company's colliery at Shenandoah, Pa. Subsequently, under the guard of soldiers, a train of 23 cars was started.

A collision on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern between a passenger and a freight train caused the death of 2 persons, the serious injury of 2 and injuries to 40 others.

Rev. John Stebbins Lee, first president of St. Lawrence University, died at his home, in Canton, N. Y.

Four persons were injured in a freight wreck on the Philadelphia and Reading at Sunbury, Pa.

**Foreign.**

Diplomatic relations between Great Britain and Venezuela are on the verge of being severed. A prominent British official says he wishes the United States would take over the whole country, as then perhaps there would be peace.

Joseph Chamberlain, Herbert Gladstone, the Archbishop of Canterbury and other prominent Englishmen, unite in protesting against the persecution of the Jews in Roumania.

Princess Stephanie did not attend the funeral services of her mother, the Queen of Belgium, at Spa, but was greeted sympathetically by the people of Brussels as she left for Calais.

Thomas Jobling strangled his sweetheart, Jane Abelwhite, at North Walbottle, England, and committed suicide by throwing himself down a mine shaft a depth of 540 feet.

General Botha announced in a speech at Rotterdam that he had received $100,000 from Arthur White, an American, in aid of the destitute Boers.

A cable-laying steamer while engaged near the Island of St. Vincent, had a narrow escape from a violent eruption of the Soufriere volcano.

The provisional government of Hayti is taking vigorous steps to end the civil war. The War Minister will shortly attack the revolutionists at Plaisance. The ports at Gonaives and St. Marc have been declared blockaded.

President Castro, of Venezuela, has started for Tocuyito at the head of a force of 6000 men, with 12 guns, to attack the revolutionary army, commanded by General Mendoza.

Captain Sverdrup's explorations in the Arctic seem to show that the northern limit in which it is possible for human beings to exist in the archipelago has receded.

Dr. Mumm von Schwarzenstein, German embassador to China, ha returned to Berlin and states that the situation in China looks more encouraging.

Prince Vladimir Troubetzskoi of Russia, after drinking too heavily with a woman friend, attempted to commit suicide at Algiers.

The controversy in England over the introduction of the American golf ball has reached Berlin and become a diplomatic question.

**Financial.**

Upwards of 100 American tin mills are idle.

At San Francisco $250,000 Klondike gold has arrived.

Stockholders of the Independent Glass Company, of Pittsburg, voted to go out of business.

Wabash is tipped for a very substantial rise before the year ends.

The New York banks have lost to the Subtreasury this week $1,958,000.

August earnings of the United States Steel are said to amount to $12,500,000, against $12,000,000 in July.

# MANY BILLIONS ON DEPOSIT

**An Evidence of the Thrift of the American People.**

**THE PER CAPITA AVERAGE IS $108.**

**Deposits With Banking Institutions Have Doubled During Each of Two Decades—How the Money is Placed—Figures Compiled From the Reports of the Comptroller of the Currency.**

Washington, D. C. (Special).—The bank deposits of the people of the United States aggregate $8,500,000,000, an average of $108 per capita. Ten years ago they aggregated $4,232,000,000, or half the amount of to-day, and 20 years ago they were $2,600,000,000, or a little more than one-quarter of those of to-day.

These figures are presented in a table just prepared by the Treasury Bureau of Statistics. They are compiled from the reports of the Comptroller of the Currency and include deposits in national banks, savings banks, State banks, loan and trust companies and private banks, and cover the official figures of the year 1901. The figures for the different classes of banks stand as follows:

| | *Deposits in 1901.* |
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| National Banks | $2,937,753,233 |
| Savings Banks | 2,597,094,580 |
| State Banks | 1,610,502,246 |
| Loan and trust companies, | 1,271,081,174 |
| Private Banks | 118,621,903 |
| Aggregate | $8,535,053,136 |

The figures show the total deposits in the different banking organizations of the country, so far as they can be obtained, from 1875 to the present time, though it is proper to add that the figures for private banks include, since 1887, only such banks as voluntarily report to the Comptroller of the Currency. In other words, they are only about one-fourth of the total number of private banks in the United States, while during the period from 1875 to 1882 the figures cover the deposits in practically all private banks. Taking the figures at intervals from 1878 to 1901 the total deposits, as given by all banking institutions, stands as follows:

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| 1878 | $1,878,434,270 |
| 1882 | 2,755,938,053 |
| 1887 | 3,255,772,134 |
| 1892 | 4,630,490,156 |
| 1897 | 5,196,847,530 |
| 1901 | 8,535,053,136 |

During recent years the growth has been rapid. From 1878 to 1882 the increase was $877,503,783; from 1882 to 1887, $499,834,081; from 1887 to 1892, $1,374,718,022; from 1892 to 1897, $566,357,374, and from 1897 to 1901, $3,338,205,606.

### FIVE DEAD IN WRECK.

**Passenger Trains Crash Head-On on a Long Curve Near Pittsburg.**

Pittsburg (Special).—Five trainmen were killed and two severely injured in a headon collision between Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg and Pittsburg and Western passenger trains at Witmer Station, on the Pittsburg and Western railroad, about 10 o'clock in the morning. A number of passengers were cut and bruised by flying splinters and broken glass, but none was badly hurt.

The accident it is alleged, was due to the failure to flag the passenger trains. The Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg and the Pittsburg and Western railroads occupy the same tracks to Butler, Pa. About a half mile this side of Witmer Station is a long curve. A freight train became disabled on the west-bound track on the curve early in the morning, and as work is being done on a new tunnel all trains were run on the other track. By a mistake, it is said, the trains were allowed to come together, instead of holding the one until the other had passed.

**Ohio Has a Volcano.**

Bainbridge, Ohio (Special).—people living in the Paint Creek Valley are alarmed over the appearance of smoke and sulphurous gases from Copperas Mountain, which can be seen from this place. Ever since the first eruption of Mount Pelee smoke has issued from the mountain at intervals, but only within the last few days have the smoke and gas become especially noticeable, and many attribute it to the recent eruptions in Martinique. Investigation shows that the slate in the mountain has become hot and some of it has become a dull red from the action of the heat. The smoke issues from the side and not the top of the mountain. Scientists will be asked to make a thorough investigation.

**Shot a Bird on a Woman's Hat.**

Rockford, Ill. (Special).—Mrs. Julia K. Barnes, author of "Annals of a Country Town," was accidentally shot at Manitowish, Wis. She was seated on a log in the center of a chump of bushes, when a hunter approached. He could see only her hat and mistaking it for a partridge discharged his shotgun in the direction of the supposed bird. The charge took effect in Mrs. Barnes' head. She was taken to a hospital, where it is said that her eyesight may be impaired.

**Blind Man to Be Rich**

Pittsburg (Special).—John Brislin, was awarded the decision in his suit against the Carnegie Steel Company for infringement on his patent, is blind and quite poor. If the decision of the court is sustained, which now seems likely, it is said Brislin will collect $5,000,000 in penalties for the use of his patent. Most of this will have to come from the Steel Trust.

**Belgian Queen Dead.**

Spa, Belgium (By Cable).—Marie Henriette, Queen of the Belgians, died here suddenly. She had long suffered from heart disease and asthma. Neither her husband, members of her family nor her doctors were present at the time of her death. She was seated at a table eating a light dinner, when she was seized with an attack of fainting. Dr. Guillaume, who in the course of the day, had remarked upon disquieting symptoms in the Queen's condition, was summoned immediately, but she was dead before he arrived.

## NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

**Crop Estimates Vary.**

The Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture, disturbed by complaints of discrepancies between the department's crop reports and various commercial estimates, has determined to make an investigation with the view of insuring absolute accuracy in future reports.

The subject has been thoroughly considered in the department and Secretary Wilson has authorized Statistician John Hyde to use every available means to ascertain wherein the differences lie. It has been determined to send at once into the cotton belt 10 experts, who will visit every cotton shipping point and make the closest possible investigation, taking into account every pound of cotton and its origin, whether of this year's crop or of that of another season.

Mr. Hyde has been impressed with the idea that much cotton of the commercial estimates is wrongly placed to the credit of crops to which it does not belong. Frequently crops of a past season still on hand are included in the amount of cotton set down as of this year's crop. This will be one of the main features of the investigation. A considerable lot of cotton is said to be included in the estimates from commercial sources which belongs to what is called the "city crop," which consists of cotton that, in market sampling from season to season in many of the large towns, accumulates in considerable quantities.

The effort of the department will be directed to insure the greatest possible accuracy in estimates as to cotton on hand, as well as to gleaning information which will tend to absolute reliability in the department's estimates of crops. The early maturing of cotton this seasor, much of it getting to market during July and August and taking with it cotton of last season, will be treated in the data to be gathered by the experts assigned to make the investigation.

**To Build Military Road.**

On the urgent recommendation of Gen. A. K. Chaffee, commanding the military forces of the Philippines, Secretary of War Root to-day authorized an expenditure of $20,000 for immediate use in the construction of a military road in the Island of Mindanao from Illigan, the chief port on the north coast of the island, to a point on the northern shore of Lake Lanao.

This Lake is in the heart of the Moro country and its shores are thickly dotted with villages, the aggregate inhabitants of which are estimated at 350,000. The Spaniards never were able to penetrate this populous stronghold of the Moros. Although the main purpose of this road is to encourage friendly dealings with the natives, it undoubtedly will be of great value in any military movement which may become necessary to insure the submission of the people to American sovereignty.

**Soldiers Are in Good Health.**

The report of the surgeon-general of the army for the year ending June 30 last shows a gradual improvement in the condition of the health of the troops, notwithstanding many were subject to exposures of tropical service in the Philippines. The report states that the admissions to sick report in 1901 constituted 179.159 per thousand of the strength as compared with 231.181 in 1900 and with 150.247 the mean annual rate of the previous ten years. The rate of discharge for disability was 19.95 in 1901, as compared with 22.60 in 1900 and 16.69 for the decade, and the death rate from all causes was 10.94 per thousand men, as compared with 22.74 and 11.91, respectively. Deaths from disease constituted 9.58 per thousand of mean strength, as compared with 15.79 in 1900, and deaths from injury 4.36, as compared with 6.95.

During the year the mean strength of the army consisted of 62,491 men, of whom 81,885 were regulars and 10,606 volunteers. The death rate from all causes was 5.29 per thousand of strength in Cuba; 6.00 in the United States; 7.81 in Porto Rico and 17.96 in the Pacific Islands and China.

**Court-Marshal for Lieutenant Owen.**

The Navy Department will follow the usual course of procedure in the case of Lieut. Alfred C. Owen, who has been missing from his station, the battleship Massachusetts for nearly two months. The procedure is to institute a search for the missing man, and, unless extraordinary circumstances have developed in connection with his "French leave," bring him before a court-martial on a charge of "absence without leave."

**Porto Rico Loses the Tax.**

Acting on the opinion of the Attorney-General, the Treasury Department has held that under existing laws the tonnage taxes collected in Porto Rico shall be covered into the United States Treasury to the credit of the Marine Hospital service. This disposes of the question whether these taxes should not be turned into the Porto Rican treasury.

**Newsy Items of Interest.**

It is believed in South American diplomatic circles in Washington that the large naval force being centered by the United States at the Isthmus of Panama is intended to prevent by its presence a continuance of the Colombian hostilities and maintain order when the canal treaty is signed.

The naval board of inquiry exonerated Rear Admiral Coghlan, Captain Todd and the Brooklyn's crew from blame on account of the grounding of the cruiser.

President Palma, of Cuba, has notified the United States government that he desires the withdrawal of the remaining United States troops in Cuba.

General Chaffee recommended that a congressional medal of honor be awarded to Lieut. Kennett P. Williams, First Infantry, who succored the marines on the Samar expedition.

The report on the naval game are to show that the searchlights at various forts are not so effective as they have been supposed to be.

A memorial tablet to the late Commander Jesse M. Roper has been made, to be placed in the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Secretary Root approved the recommendations of the board to continue the manufacture of certain of the disappearing gun-carriages.

The contract to furnish stamped envelopes to the government was awarded to the Hartford Manufacturing Company, of Hartford, Ct.

# TROOPS FOR SCRANTON

**Pennsylvania's Governor Orders Out Another Regiment.**

**CRISIS IN LACKAWANNA DISTRICT.**

**Mob Violence Beyond the Power of the Sheriff to Suppress—Strikers Attack a Breaker, Drive Out the Workmen and Take Possession—Two Men Are Shot—Eleven Men Arrested Near Harrisburg.**

Harrisburg, Pa. (Special).—Governor Stone issued an order shortly after midnight directing the Thirteenth Regiment to report to General Gobin for duty in the strike region. The Thirteenth's headquarters are at Scranton and the regiment will be quartered in its armory at that city temporarily. This regiment consists of 11 companies and its strength is about 700.

Former Lieutenant Governor Louis A. Watres, of Scranton, is the commander of the regiment, and is in New York. In his absence Lieutenant Colonel Stillwell will be in command.

The authorities apprehend serious trouble, and if there should be another outbreak the Ninth Regiment, with headquarters at Wilkesbarre, will probably be ordered out.

Prior to issuing the call for troops the Governor gave out a statement in which he said: "The sheriff of Lackawana county has asked for troops. Mobs in that county have cut off the water and light from the town of Archbald, and it is now in darkness. The steam pipes in Old Forge colliery have been dynamited and workmen in different places driven from mines and washeries.

"There has been shooting and some people have been wounded. Mobs are marching on Olyphant and collecting at that place with the apparent intention of moving on the mines in that locality.

"In Schuylkill county an attempt has been made to wreck a passenger train. Serious trouble exists there, and the sheriff has called upon General Gobin and the Governor for support that cannot be given with the number of troops now in that county."

### FIRE NEAR PRESIDENT.

**The Bands Played, and Cool Heads Averted Disastrous Panic.**

Cincinnati (Special).—Roosevelt Day at the Cincinnati fall festival and the unusually successful ceremonies attending the President's visit here came near being marred by a panic that would have caused great loss of life. Over 8000 persons were packed into the Auditorium when the President began speaking. At the same time the adjoining exposition halls were crowded with hundreds of people viewing the exhibits, as they were unable to gain admittance in the Music Hall.

After the President had been speaking about 15 minutes there was a great commotion in Mechanical Hall, which adjoins Music Hall on the north. Sparks from an electric wire had set a curtain on fire and the fire department had been called to the scene.

The police and attendants of the exposition soon put out the fire, but they had much more trouble in controlling the alarmed crowd. It was with great difficulty that Capt. J. B. Foraker, son of the Senator, and one of the officers of the day, headed off the firemen from rushing into the building where the President was delivering his address.

Happily one of the bands struck up and those who left the auditorium were supposed to be going out to stop the band rather than to head off a panic. Very few in the auditorium, where the President was speaking, knew anything about the incident, and Mr. Roosevelt suffered only a slight interruption without knowing at the time what caused it.

**Attacked By Hogs.**

Harpers Ferry, W. Va. (Special).—John J. Dillo, a farmer living at Loudoun, a short distance from this place, was lacerated by some hogs that set upon him in his barnyard. It appears that one of a litter of pigs had become fastened in the fence and he attempted to extricate it, when the mother and some large hogs in the yard set upon him, knocking him down and tearing his clothes, biting off a thumb and so lacerating his body that he was insensible for two hours afterward. The women folk, seeing his predicament, ran to his assistance and succeeded in rescuing him. He is 60 years old.

**Crashed Into Circus Train.**

Oklahoma, O. T. (Special).—At Choctaw, 16 miles east of this place, a freight train ran into the rear of the Sells-Downs circus train, kiling three persons and wounding 26 others, several fatally. All of the killed and wounded belong to the circus except the conductor of the show train, who was fatally injured. The Sells-Downs train was standing on the main track when the accident occurred. Two of its sleeping cars were demolished many occupants being pinioned beneath the wreckage. The uninjured passengers went quickly to their relief and soon took out the dead

**A Trick that Did Not Work.**

Knoxville, Tenn. (Special).—A box intended for Harvey Logan, the alleged Montana train robber, in jail here, was intercepted by the sheriff. The box contained several packages of tobacco and six cob pipes with long stems. Over the mouths of the pipes were seals. These were broken by the sheriff, who found a steel saw 22 inches long in each pipe.

**Shot His Son's Employer.**

Charlotte, N. C. (Special).—A special from Laurinburg says that Charles Lockemy, superintendent of the Richmond Cotton Mills, was killed by Norris Saunders, father of a boy employed in the mill, but who had been discharged for rebellious conduct. On arriving home he reported his discharge to his father, who secured a pistol and proceeded to the mill. He met Superintendent Lockemy, and after a few words shot him.

## ONE HUNDRED KILLED IN A PANIC.

**Cry of Fire Stampeded Negro Baptist Convention—Wild Rush in Death Trap.**

Birmingham, Ala. (Special).—In an awful crush of humanity caused by a stampede in the Shiloh Colored Baptist Church, at the corner of Avenue G and Eighteenth street, 78 persons were killed and as many more seriously injured.

The disaster occurred at 9 o'clock, just as Booker T. Washington had concluded his address to the National Convention of Colored Baptists, and for three hours the scenes around the church were indescribable. Dead bodies were strewn in every direction, and the ambulance service of the city was utterly unable to move them all until after midnight.

The injured were attended to first, and in the meanwhile dozens of dead bodies were arranged in rows on the ground outside the house of worship awaiting removal to the various undertaking establishments, while more than a score were laid on the benches inside.

Shiloh Church is the largest house of worship for negroes in Birmingham, and the pastor says there were at least 2000 persons in the edifice when the stampede began. Instructions had been issued to allow no one else to enter after the building had been filled, but the negroes forced their way inside the church, and were standing in every aisle when the cry of "fight! "fight!" was mistaken for fire, and there was a deadly scramble to get out. The entrance to the church was literally packed, and the negroes were crushed and trampled to death in their struggle to escape.

Booker T. Washington thus describes the incidents leading up to the panic:

"I had just finished delivering my lecture on 'Industry' and the singing had commenced, when some woman back of me was heard to scream. A member of the choir yelled, 'Quiet!' which the gallery understood to be 'fire.' This was repeated, and started the stampede."

"I found on investigation that a Birmingham man had stepped on the toes of a delegate from Baltimore named Ballou.

"Ballou resented it, and made a motion as if to draw a gun. This caused the woman to scream.

"There was little excitement in the center and front of the church. The rear of the church was congested, and some of the men tried to walk out on the heads of the crowd. At the time of the alarm there were probably 3,000 people in the church, and fully that number without. The crowd on the sidewalk surged in, and this, in a measure, accounted for the large loss of life.

"The majority of those killed were smothered to death, very few having bones broken.

"When I saw that a stampede was imminent I started the choir singing, and part of the audience joind them. I remained until the excitement had subsided. It lasted for fully 30 minutes.

J. H. Ballou, the colored lawyer from Baltimore, whose dispute with Hicks, the choir leader, is said to have caused the cry of "Fight!" which was mistaken for the cry of "Fire!" and resulted in the terrible panic in Shiloh Baptist Church, was arrested and is in jail, charged with disturbing public worship.

**Dr. Patton's New Position.**

Princeton, N. J. (Special).—The Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, who resigned the presidency of Princeton University last June, will be made president of Princeton Theological Seminary, this having been decided at a special meeting of the board of directors. He has accepted the position, to which he will be formally elected October 14. Dr. Patton was professor of theology in McCormick Seminary, Chicago, for ten years, and later professor of apologetics in Princeton Seminary, and for 14 years president of Princeton University.

**Youth Killed His Father.**

Woonsocket, R. I. (Special).—To protect his mother from violent treatment at the hands of her husband, William C. Bonin, aged 20 years, shot and killed his father, John B. Bonin, aged 42 years. The tragedy occurred at Bonin's factory boarding house at Slatersville. Five small children of the family were present. After the shooting young Bonin went to his room, put on his best clothes and waited until the officer, who had been called by his mother, came for him. He said it was better for his father to be dead than to be guilty of the crime of killing his wife and himself.

## ODDS AND ENDS OF THE LATEST NEWS.

The Theological Seminary of Princeton University was formally opened in Miller Chapel.

Lafayette Gruff, of Gloucester, N. J., was executed for the murder of his wife.

Charles F. Murphy was elected leader of Tammany Hall by a vote of 28 to 8.

Carl Reichard, operator on the Allegheny Valley Road at Ford City, Pa., shot and killed Charles Andrews, who with two others, was trying to rob the station.

Max Nordau, vice president of the Congress of Zionists, says Secretary Hay's circular on the Roumanian question compels the European powers which signed the Berlin Treaty to do their duty.

The British government in its formal note of acknowledgment indicates approval of the contents of Secretary Hay's circular letter protesting against the inhuman treatment of Roumanian Jews.

Tullio Murri, accused of murdering his brother-in-law, Count Bon Martini, at Bologna, Italy, was arrested at the frontier town of Ala, Austrian Tyrol.

The defalcations of Edmund Jellinek, an official of the cashier's department of the Vienna Laeder-bank, have been shown to amount to $1,150,000. He is said to have committed suicide.

Count Apponyi, president of the Hungarian Reichstag, in a speech sounded a note of warning against the revival of Pan-Germanic agitation in Hungary.

Circuit Attorney Folk, of St. Louis, filed information charging former delegates Hannigan, Denny, Albright and Bersch with perjury.

Alonzo Tucker, a negro, who assaulted Mrs. Dennis near Libby, Ore, was lynched by a mob of coalminers.

## GARDEN AND FARM

### BONE MEAL FOR CATTLE.

When cattle chew leather, wood or old bones it indicates a lack of phosphate of lime in their food, which is required to supply bone material. A teaspoonful of bone meal, given daily with their grain, will correct the habit and supply the deficiency which induces it. If the disposition to eat bones is indulged in when cows are in grass, the deficiency then evidently exists in the soil, and the pasture will be greatly benefitted by a top dressing of bone dust. Two or three hundred pounds to the acre, sown broadcast, will repay attending expenses in a better yield and in quality of milk and butter.

### A COMMON DISEASE.

Garget is one of the commonest diseases among dairy cows, and in nearly every case it is caused by neglect of the simplest precautions. A cow that has lost the use of a portion of the udder by an attack of garget may regain it in coming in the next time if proper care is taken. As soon as any milk is found in the udder it should be drawn twice a day until the calf is dropped, when the calf should be permitted to suck three times a day only until the udder is in good order. If the calf should not draw from the injured quarter this should be milked out. It is always advisable to milk a cow before she calves if there is milk in the udder and the udder becomes full and hard.

### A HORSE'S WEIGHT.

The weight of a horse is an important item in estimating his value for draft purposes, for the fine-boned horses, with well-developed muscles, may do as much work as the heavy-boned one for a short time, and is even better for road purposes. But in plowing, or other heavy, steady drawing, the light horse becomes useless. Then, in price, the weight is an important item. If a good horse weighs over 2,000 pounds he may sell for more than a dollar per pound; 1800 to 2000 pounds, for less than a dollar per pound. Under that the price rapidly declines, 1200 to 1500-pound grade horses selling at 25 and 30 cents per pound, though it is considerably more than any other grade of stock on the farm will bring.

### WHAT IS GOOD LAYING?

A subscriber writes to ask, "How many eggs a year should a good hen lay?" We believe it possible to develop hens that will lay two hundred eggs a year, but a flock will not average that number, since there are so many little things with which one has to contend. Still, we should not expect too much, and if your entire flock will average one hundred and seventy-five eggs a year there could be no reason for complaint. We should not, under any circumstances, keep a hen that did not lay one hundred and fifty eggs, unless, perhaps, she be an exceptionally fine specimen that we wanted to keep for exhibition purposes.

Good hens, in order to be profitable, must not lay a great many eggs, but they must lay them during the fall and winter months. In order to develop the best layers each hen must be carefully watched, and those that fail should be at once fattened and sent to the market.—Home and Farm.

### ROSES FROM FISHES.

A woman who is a flower lover has evolved a great idea for the nourishment of her pets. Instead of the paradox, "Figs from Thistles," she has something equally original and seemingly impossible. She and her husband live on the shores of the sound, where they have a quaint cottage surrounded with many kinds of bloom, the latter the pride of the woman owner. Occasionally she is seized with inspirations about her plants. One of them is the planting of all the scavenger fish they catch around the roots of her beloved rose bushes. There are many fishes that are of no use as food for man, but which, nosing along the bottom of inland seas after offal, and so forth manage to leap to the bait that is thrust down for sole and other edible ones of their kind. These when caught by the rose woman are carefully carried home, minced on the chopping block and bestowed in a trowel-dug hole near the roots of the plants. The rose bushes in this garden "take turns" in receiving this "plant food," and as a result of the discriminating work, have developed into prize winners of such proportions that a description of them, however truthful, sounds like a fairy tale. Whatever the life-giving property is in the fish bones and carcass, it is of great value in forcing luxuriant efflorescence of these particular flowers—New York Press.

### ENEMIES OF GRAPE VINES.

At a meeting of professors from Cornell University and grape growers at Brocton, N. Y., it was reported that the grape leaf hopper was doing much damage, and would do more if the dry weather continues. It is a sucking insect, and cannot be reached by poisons like Paris green or Disparene (arsenate of lead). Trapping them by sticky shields on each side of the trellis has proved beneficial on some vineyards where tried. Frames of four by eight feet covered with oil cloth, and the glazed side coated with a mixture of two parts rosin and one part castor oil, placed each side of the vine caught many of them as they flew up when the vine was shaken, and two men could cover seven to eight acres per day. A ten per cent. spray of kerosene, or one gallon of kerosene in ten gallons of water, in two applications two days apart, would destroy many of them, but the vine should be sprayed from each side. The grape-root worm is a more dangerous enemy. In this a dark gray beetle is found to by feeding on the leaves from the middle to the latter part of June, leaving narrow, crooked and chainlike holes unlike those made by any other insect. It is prolific of eggs which it places under the scaly bark of the vine. The larva as they hatch out do not crawl down so that they might be trapped by some sticky substance, but drop to the ground, where such as are able to work their way down to the root, feeding on the bark and the small rootlets until they destroy the vine. The beetles should be killed by the arsenate of lead, used as a spray when they appear. The worms are best prevented from reaching the roots by frequent cultivation between the vines, throwing the earth toward them so as to cover the roots as deeply as possible. Vineyards that are kept free from grass or weeds are less troubled by the leaf hopper, as they afford no winter shelter for the insects, and the same is true of the beetles of the grape-root worm. Later experiments indicate that a spray of ten per cent. kerosene is too strong for vines weakened by the feeding of the beetle, and that a five per cent. spray on the vines and then fifteen to twenty-five per cent. on the ground to kill the beetles knocked off by the spraying, would be better.—The Cultivator.

### HINTS IN BANTAM CULTURE.

When exhibiting bantams the fancier should guard against having his birds fed upon the floor of their pens says a writer in The American Fancier. Have the management furnish plenty of cups. When they eat from the cups the feed is kept perfectly clean. As an example of the great danger of feeding them on the floor, having the grain thrown into the pen, into the litter covering the floor, I must state that recently a friend showed me some very valuable birds at a show where the feed cups were not furnished and the feed was thrown into the litter on the floor of the pens for them, and in a few days after returning home he found his most valuable birds, in consequence; stiffer than mackerels on the floor of their pens. They had eaten a lot of wood shavings along with their grain, which had deranged the digestive organs. The management of exhibitions is supposed to furnish anything necessary to protect the exhibitors' birds and to further everything which will make them comfortable and safe while on exhibition, therefore the bantam fancier should let this fancier's experience be a warning that it is entirely improper and dangerous to feed the bantams among the litter covering their pens. Insist upon cups as feed dishes and in nine of ten cases the management will furnish them. Bantams digest a certain amount of "real dirt" and from its effect will be only temporarily ill, but to digest pieces of wood shavings is next to impossible.

### THE GLORIANA.

The gloriana is unrivaled among all our summer blooming bulbs. Its brilliant and delicate loveliness comes as a distinct and charming surprise to a flower-lover unaccustomed to its magnificent velvety leaves and splendid deep-throated blossom. Many amateur florists are deterred from its culture by the belief that it is a plant difficult to succeed with. This is a great mistake and a truly regrettable one, for just a little care anyone may revel in as many of these exquisite flowers as they wish to possess. Pot the bulbs in rotted sods or leaf mold with the addition of one-fourth part of coarse sand; in a mixture of equal parts of leaf mold, ordinary garden soil and coarse sand. They will do splendidly. Cover the bulbs completely but lightly, and water sparingly from the saucer until growth begins. Keep the pot in a warm dark place where they will be sheltered from the wind and hot sunshine. They require only moderate light, heat and water. An east window or piazza proves an excellent situation for them.

In the very hottest weather it is better to water them twice a day; if the soil becomes dust dry both leaves and blossoms will be injured. Use tepid water and pour it into the saucer. Despite the oft repeated warning, never to allow water to touch gloriana foliage, my experience has been that frequent showering during the hot weather proves both refreshing and beautifying. The showering should never be given however, until after the sun has left them. When this is done regularly very little water need be given to the roots. The beautiful velvety leaves after a shower bath look much richer and softer than when left with dust upon them, and both foliage and flowers will grow more vigorously. The exquisite bell-shaped blossoms continue blooming until October. The bulb may be dried off in the pot in the fall and kept in a cool dry place until time to start in the spring, but it is unwise to depend upon a gloriana tuber after two seasons of bloom.—Mary Foster Snider, in The Epitomist.

Germany's crown prince has become infatuated with the automobile. He is said to be a capable chauffeur and thoroughly understands the mechanism of the larger road and racing cars.

The messenger boy never gives anybody a run for his money.

The phonograph is one invention that speaks for itself.

# Human Life the Payment.

**Every Advance of Civilization Demands Its Tribute of Brawn and Blood.**

NATIONS have been baptized in human blood, and each foundation stone of progress has crushed the life out of some mortal. We daily read the story of deaths that come through disease, deaths that we call natural, and then we read the startling accounts of deaths that come suddenly and unexpectedly, to the well, strong, vigorous and active mortals who are busily engaged in the work of the world.

These latter emphasize the terrible fact that every human advance, every evidence of progress, every improvement that means a higher civilization, every wonderful machine, every great engineering feat, every towering building and every work that has a form stands as a monument to some life that has gone out that it might exist.

Digging and delving among the dry bones of statistics has resurrected figures full of interest in showing the value of a human life, not spared to disease and old age, but taken in the accomplishment of some work of human progress.

These figures show that through fierce war each square mile of territory gained or maintained by nations of the earth has cost a human life. Some have cost more, some less; but taking the world over, since history began, the records show a charge of one untimely death against each six hundred and forty acres.

Each pair of church spires that point toward the clouds stand for a monument to a grave somewhere. Since records of deaths by accident have been kept they show that the life on one mortal has gone out with each two churches reared. All buildings have taken part in the same work. A poorly constructed scaffold, an insecure fastening, a parting rope, a swinging timber, a loose board and scores of other things that tell of human fallibility have contrived to make this record.

Men have burrowed in the ground and dug their own graves—their first temporary resting places where they were to lie in death—where a moment before they were in active life. Every five miles of tunnel blasted from the rocks and dug from the earth requires the life of one man.

We gather heat, light and power from the sun-made coal that was stored for us centuries ago, and each million and a half tons of it costs one miner's life before it passes from its ancient bed to the surface of the ground.

Since man has delighted in what is bright and lasting, he has sought for gold and made from it the great lever that moves the world; but it has had its price. Each two million dollars of gold has asked for a human sacrifice and received it.

Since before the dawn of history, ships have spread their winglike sails and carried man from shore to shore, and recently harnessed steam has passed them in the race; but from the time when shipwrecks were first recorded until today the ships have demanded human toll, and at the end of each 50,000 miles that each one sails it drops a living soul into a never resurrecting sea, or casts it dead into the arms of the shore.

Where boats would not do man has suspended his bridges, and each one of these that spans navigable water marks the spot where a man was brought to his death through an accident.

So on the steel highways, where, through the energy of steam, we rush with the speed of the wind, the law says that one life must be given for each 500,000 travellers, and the law is obeyed.

Look where you will, these accidents confront you. Life with its requirements pays its way with life.—New York Herald.

# Education by the Way.

**By Hamilton Wright Mabie.**

A MAN is fortunate if he can give up his youth entirely to the business of getting education, but no man need remain uneducated because he is compelled to go to work while others are at school or college. There is no excuse, today, for the ignorant man; the man who can use his eyes and remains ignorant, no matter what his condition may be, remains ignorant by choice, not by necessity. No man need leave his work for one hour in order to gain an education; he can educate himself while he works. This is precisely what a great many of the best men have done. The story of American life, especially, is full of examples of boys and men who have turned a working life into a continuous school, and have passed from grade to grade in this school, not only with widening knowledge, but also with steadily increasing efficiency in their various trades and occupations. These men can be picked out of the crowd of workers who throng all the fields of labor because of their skill, their interest in what they are doing, and their abstinence from grumbling. They do not make the blunder of supposing that their conditions in life, their success or failure, are decided by other people; they have resolutely taken to heart the great, decisive truth that, while conditions have much to do with the choice of tools and a vocation, each man determines for himself how large or how small a man he will be, and how important or unimportant he will make himself to his employer, or in his vocation. If men were more intent upon making themselves masters of their work and less intent on getting the most they can in the way of wages, and giving the least they can in the way of labor and devotion, there would be a great addition to the ranks of those workers who are both successful and happy. The man who works simply for the wage at the end of the week, and only does what is necessary to get it, keeps himself down. The man who, in skill and devotion, is always ahead of the demand of his work, is on the highway to independence. He who would succeed must not only work, but educate himself as he works.—Success.

# A Light Heart Under Failure.

**By Richard Le Gallienne.**

A LIGHT heart under failure is a condition of success which may be written down as an essential. No one should need to be warned against the deleterious effects of the blues. Nothing deadens the heart of enterprise, or unstrings the nerves of action, like a fit of the blues. In one of those beautiful prayers which Robert Louis Stevenson wrote for us, in his Samoan household, he prayed for "courage and gayety and a quiet mind." A man who backs up his brains with these three gifts has all the odds in his favor. It is next to impossible that he should fail in what he undertakes to accomplish.

Gayety is the essence of power. What is there in a failure or two to cry about, or in a dozen failures, when you know you are bound to get there? Success is not an external trophy, not something you have to hunt or ensnare, like a bird. Success inheres in oneself, or in every true piece of work one does. Not the most powerful opposition, not the bitterest or meanest underestimation, can do more than delay any success we really deserve. Ultimately, we and our work must be assessed at its proper value; and, though we may be dead when the time comes, we shall have succeeded none the less. Every day we hear of men succeeding in their graves. But that only means that the world was slow to see that they had succeeded years ago, while they were living and working with us. The men themselves, we may be sure, though robbed of temporary rewards, knew, deep in their hearts, that they had succeeded, and confidently left their work behind to "report them and their cause aright," when the time should come for its value to be understood. To be misunderstood, to be vilified, to be laughed at, to die poor and unregarded, is not to fail. So long as you know, without a shadow of doubt, that your work is real, and that the very universe is committed to take care of it, and compel its recognition, you can afford to die with a smile on your lips, or the sunshine of success filling your heart.

### Tongue Reading.

Linguistology is the most recent craze in Paris. If one prefers to call it glossomancy, well and good. Under either name it means tongue reading, and it threatens to compete with palmistry. A big tongue, it seems, indicates frankness; a short tongue, garrulity and generosity; a narrow tongue, concentration and talent; a short, broad tongue, garrulity and untruth. The man with a very short and narrow tongue is a liar of true artistic merit. —London Globe.

## COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

### General Trade Conditions.

"Bradstreet's" says: Jobbing distribution continues very active and retail business is improving. Now that the corn crop is practicaly made, and the only possible changes are those of quality, the disposition to book Fall and Winter orders is unrestrained, at the West and Northwest. At the South the tone of trade reports is notably cheerful, largely owing to higher cotton prices, because crop accounts are not so favorable as a week ago.

Collections are as a whole good, and the concensus of reports as to this and as to money conditions point to good supplies of the circulating medium in the country at large.

The selling position seems to be the strongest side of the price situation, except possibly in the cereals and agricultural products generally. Even here the fine financial position of farmers enables them to market their products slowly, and no accumulation of moment is recorded except in cattle receipts, which this week surpassed all records.

A large distribution of cotton goods is going on at the West, and the firmness in the Eastern grade is notable in view of the relatively quieter tone of demand. Woolen goods are firm and the mills are actively employed.

The coal situation deserves notice. The delay in the ending of the anthracite coal strike throws increased pressure on the bituminous product, and prices for that article are now at least one-quarter higher than the low point before the strike began. Anthracite production is slowly but surely increasing, as more mines and miners go to work, but the necessities of some retail buyers make fancy prices for what is left. A long season at full time will be necessary to restore stocks of anthracite to old dimensions.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending September 18, aggregate 5,435,323 bushels, against 5,444,142 last week, 3,840,574 in this week last year and 3,535,857 in 1900. Wheat exports since July 1 aggregate 55,537,005 bushels, against 72,181,845 last season and 38,519,690 in 1900. Corn exports aggregate 49,508 bushels, against 91,512 last week, 611,258 last year and 2,134,205 in 1900. For the fiscal year exports are 980,659 bushels, against 12,132,934 last season and 39,791,241 in 1900.

### LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Flour—Spring clear, $3.10a3.30; best Patent, $4.50; choice Family, $3.75.

Wheat—New York No. 2, 73¼c; Philadelphia No 2, 72¾a73c; Baltimore No 2, 72c.

Corn—New York No. 2, 72c; Philadelphia No. 2, 69a69¼; Baltimore No. 2, 67c.

Oats—New York No. 2, 32½c; Philadelphia No. 2, 36c; Baltimore No 2, 29c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $16.00a16.50; No. 2 timothy, $15.50a16.00; No. 3 timothy $14.00a15.00

Green Fruits and Vegetables—Apples per brl, fancy 85c@$1 00; fair to good per brl, 50c@65c; Beets, native, per bunch 1c@1½c; Cabbages, native, flat dutch, per 100, $1 00@$1 75; Cantaloupes, Anne Arundel Gems, per basket ripe, 20c@30c; Celery, New York, per doz. 25c@40c; Eggplants, native, per 100, $1 00@1 25; Grapes, Rappahannock, per 10-lb basket, 14c@15c, do, Western Maryland, per 5-lb basket, 14c@15c; Lettuce, native, per bu box, 30c@40c. Lima beans, native, per bu box, 45c@50c; Onions, Maryland and Pennsylvania yellow, per bu, 80c@85c; Pumpkins, native, each, 4c@5c; Squash, Anne Arundel, per basket, 10c@15c; String beans, native, per bu, green, 20c@25c; Tomatoes, Potomac, per peach basket, 30c@35c. Rappahannock, per bu box, 30c@35c; Watermelons, Selects, per 100, $12 00@14 00; primes, per 100, $6 00@$9 00; seconds, per 100 $4 00@$5 00; culls, per 100, $2 00@$3 00.

Potatoes, Primes, per brl, No 1, $1 00a1 10; do, seconds, 75a80c; do, culls, 50a60c; do, Eastern Shore, per brl, No 1, $1 00a1 25.

Butter, Separator, 23a24c; Gathered cream, 21a22c; prints, 1-lb 25a26c; Rolls, 2-lb, 25a26; Dairy pts. Md., Pa., Va., 23a24c.

Eggs, Fresh-laid eggs, per dozen, 21a22c

Cheese, Large, 60-lb, 11¼a11½c; medium, 36-lb, 11¼a11¾; picnics, 23-lb 11¼a11¾c.

Live Poultry, Hens, 12¼a13c; old roosters, each 25a30c; spring chickens, 13¼a14c, young stags, 12¼a13c. Ducks 11a12c.

Hides, Heavy steers, association and salters, late kill, 60-lbs and up, close selection, 12¾a13¾c; cows and light steers 9¾a10¾c.

Provisions and Hog Products.—Bulk clear rib sides, 11¾c; bulk shoulders, 11¾c; bulk bellies, 13c; bulk ham butts, 10¾c; bacon clear rib sides, 12c; bacon shoulders, 12c; sugar-cured breasts, 14¾c; sugar-cured shoulders, 12c; sugar-cured California hams, 10¾c; hams canvased or uncanvased, 12 lbs. and over, 13¾c; refined lard tierces, bris and 50 lb cans, gross, 11¾c; refined lard, second-hand tubs, 11¾c; refined lard, half-barrels and new tubs, 11¾c.

### Live Stock.

Chicago, Cattle, Mostly 10a15c lower, good to prime steers $7 50a8 65; medium $4 00a7 00; stockers and feeders $2 50a5 25; cows, $1 50a4 75; heifers $2 25a5 75; Texas-fed steers $3 00a4 50. Hogs, Mixed and butchers $7 25a7 85; good to choice, heavy $7 55a7 90; Sheep, sheep and lambs slow to lower; good to choice whethers $3 50a4 00; Western sheep $2 50a3 25.

East Liberty, Cattle steady; choice $7 10a7 25; prime $6 25a6 75. Hogs, prime heavy $7 85a7 90, mediums $7 80; heavy Yorkers $7 75a7 80. Sheep steady, Best wethers $4 00a4 15 culls and common $1 50a2 00; choice lambs $5 60a5 80.

### LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Telegraphers at San Francisco have organized a union.

Painters, paperhangers and decorators will organize a union at Macon, Ga.

Gas men have been granted their request for increased pay at Oakland, Cal.

Union ironmolders at Los Angeles, Cal., have struck for $3.50 for a nine-hour day.

A satisfactory settlement of the machinists' strike at Dennison, Texas, has been reached.

## THE KEYSTONE STATE.

**News Happenings of Interest Gathered From All Sources.**

Patents granted: Frank E. Abbott, Pittsburg, combination door bell and burglar alarm, also miter box; Walter B. Chalfant, Basnell, centrifugal churn; Hugh W. Denison, Glade, automatic check lock; Harry W. Eicher, Myersdale, lock; Robert T. Gillespie, Rochester, reservoir pen; Martin H. Halloran, Pittsburg, lubricator for elevator ropes; John W. K. Hodge, Blair Station, rotary steam engine; William B. Langan, Hawley, bottle filling and corking machine; Constant Laval, Pittsburg, trough for silvering glass; William Maxwell, Pittsburg, toy biograph; Frank A. Merrick, Johnstown, trolley, also circuit breaker; John W. Morgan, Jr., McKeesport, manufacture of car wheels; William A. Neylor, Allegheny, and J. Gouldsbarry, McKees Rocks, boring bar; Philo B. Sheldon, Erie, body brace.

Pensions granted—N. H. Kough, Mt. Pleasant, $6; Jacob Young, Lewistown, $10; Englebert Bender, Pattons, $12; Jonathan Boyd, Kittanning, $8; Calvin F. Walker, Huntingdon, $12; Margaret Steel, Ellwell, $12; Ellen E. Allison, Mifflintown, $8; Elizabeth J. Park, Three Springs, $8; John T. Hobson, Allegheny, $10; John C. Alder, Allegheny, $6; Thomas Jones, Pittsburg, $6; William Fulton, Turtle Creek, $6; John M. Hawthorne, Ogdensburg, $10; Hugh Boon, Washington, $15; William Morrow, Plumville, $12; Julia Wing, Cambridge Springs, $8.

Samuel Byerly, a carpenter of Bradenville, is working on what he says may be a successful flying machine. He says it embodies ideas not hitherto adapted to such attempts. The body of the machine, for the sake of lightness, will be of aluminum, and the motor is to be of oblong shape with winglike projections on the sides and ends of the machine. Mr. Byerly is confident that he has introduced novel features which will help the machine to fly.

The galvanizing department and warehouse of the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Company was totally destroyed by fire. All the pipe is said to be in good condition. The new part of the works was not damaged. The loss is covered by insurance.

The State Forestry Reserve Commission has purchased from Howard Cessna, of Bedford, the Martin Hill, situate in Colerain township, Bedford county, and containing 5000 acres. It is considered the best deer range in Pennsylvania.

City Councils are seriously considering the matter of having Reading's Free Public Library open on Sunday, and a number of clergymen are already up in arms about it.

Governor Stone appointed the following delegates from Pennsylvania to the Farmers' National Congress to be held at Macon, Ga., during the week of October 7: Levi Morrison, Greenville; W. K. Laird, Livemore; W. B. Powell, Shadeland; S. T. Heilman, Heilmansdale; A. L. Martin, Euon Valley; C. W. Oster, Osterburg; S. Barber, Harrisburg; A. F. Kimmel, Orwigsburg; Stephen D. Yost, Huntingdon; Wm. Knoderer, Allegheny; S. McCreary, Neshannock Falls; W. H. Stout, Pine Grove; W. C. Patterson, State College; W. A. Gardner, Andres Settlement; R. J. Weld, Sugar Grove; H. N. Clark, Claridge; Hiram Peoples, New Providence; T. E. Orr, Pittsburg; W. W. Britton, Upper Strasburg; S. B. Buckalew, Fairmount Springs; Bruce Larned, Huntingdon Mills; M. W. Learde, Indiana; G. M. Patterson, Williamsburg; Nelson H. Thompson, Elora; R. H. Thomas, Mechanicsburg; J. P. Taylor, Reedsville; J. S. Burns, Clinton; Levi Wells, Spring Hill; John Hamilton, State College; M. E. Conrad, West Grove; Gabriel Hiester, Harrisburg; W. F. Hill, West Ford; L. W. Lighty, East Berlin; William Penn Lloyd, Mechanicsburg; Edwin Londale, Wyndmoor; T. O. Milliken, Huntingdon; Thomas J. Phillips, Atglen; O. W. Stoughton, Prospect; D. W. Copper, Sunbury; W. H. Dodson, York; S. H. Rutherford, Paxtang; Julius Lemoyne, Washington; Irwin Chapin, Town Hill; Oliver D. Shock, Hamburg; W. H. Brosius, Lancaster; John D. Sorder, Harrisburg; George G. Hutchinson, Warrior's Mark, chairman.

A joint meeting of the legislative committees of the Delaware County Road Drivers' Ass'n and the various granges of the county, who have joined forces in the interest of good roads was held at Media, with Senator W. C. Sproul presiding. These organizations, now very strong in the county, will present a bill before the next Legislature and preliminary arrangements were perfected. The bill will be drafted in Media in a short time by subcommittees of the road drivers and grangers, together with a committee representing the Road Drivers' Association of Philadelphia and other similar organizations. It was suggested that the State make a plan to provide revenue which would permit of expending $30,000,000 on the roads within the next ten years. Under the present conditions of the State finance, it is said, this would not necessitate much of an increase in taxation.

The Shamokin Cemetery Company notified strikers that they would be prosecuted unless they stop mining coal from a hill on top of which the cemetery is situated. The company fears that unless the men quit digging coal the graves would be undermined and swallowed up by cave-ins. The strikers said they would not drive gangways under the graves.

William E. Headley, a business man of Chester, was found guilty in court at Media of assault and battery on Charles Prosser, a young drug clerk. Headley's daughter alleged Prosser insulted her, and Mr. Headley horsewhipped the young man. Mr. Headley was sentenced to pay the costs.

Another riot took place in Duryea and two men were wounded. Guiseppe Dominck was shot in the abdomen and John Digana received a fractured rib and several wounds on the head. The two men were on their way home from work in the Old Forge Colliery when they were set upon by about seventy-five Italians. Several bricklayers on their way to work were also assaulted.

E. M. Fuller and family and Wallace Paterson and wife, of Eleven Mile, while on a long drive partook of bologna sausage as a lunch and were made seriously ill. A doctor at Andover saved their lives.

## Everybody's Shoes Are Here . . . .

Every kind of Boot and Shoe for everybody—men, women, children and the babies, and for every business, every dress and every sport and pastime use. Whether you walk or ride, play golf or ball, whether you fish or hunt, dance or go a-bicycling, or whether you like to be dressed up and keep so, we have Shoes for all these uses and for all these purposes.

Our Boots and Shoes are the very best, and our prices the very least.

Agent for W. L. Douglas' $3.00 and $3.50 Shoe for Men, and Queen Quality the famous $3.00 Shoe for Women.

If you want correct Footwear, come to headquarters for it.

**Mingle's Shoe Store,**

**BELLEFONTE, PA.**

### CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Reformed—No services.

Lutheran—No services.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, 10:30 a m; Pine Stump, 2:30 p. m.

Evangelical—Lemont, 10 a. m.; Linden Hall, 2:30 p. m.; Centre Hall, 7:30 p. m. These services will be conducted by Presiding Elder E. Crumoling, of Lewisburg, who will administer the holy sacrament.

#### A 4 3-4 Lb. Potato.

A potato hard to beat was dug by Joseph M. Carson, near Potters Mills, Monday of this week. The variety was Maggie Murphy, and the tuber weighed 4¾ pounds, and was twelve inches in length.

#### In Bellefonte Oct. 7.

Ex-Governor Pattison and others of prominence in the state will be at Bellefonte Tuesday evening, October 7. A meeting will be held in the court house.

During the afternoon of that day, the ex-Governor will be in Philipsburg.

#### The President Under Surgeons' Knife.

Owing to bruises received in the trolley accident at Pittsfield, Mass., President Roosevelt was obliged to undergo a slight surgical operation while at Indianapolis on Tuesday. A sac containing about two ounces of serum was removed from the president's left leg between the knee and ankle.

#### Marriage Licenses.

Wm. T. Dillan, Julian.
Sallie M. Gill, Martha.
Herbert F. Shenck, Howard.
Sarah F. Robb, Beech Creek.
James Zerbe, Spring Mills.
Nora M. Mowery, Spring Mills.
Wm. McMiller, Bellefonte.
Gertrude M. Hagg, Bellefonte,
Harry C. Custer, Philipsburg.
Anne E. DeBrine, Philipsburg.

#### Presbyterian Reunion.

For the accommodation of those not members of Presbytery who may wish to attend the memorial services and reunion at Penn Hall, Oct. 8th, hacks, charging 25cts. for the round trip, will run from the Spring Mills station to the grounds. The Penn Hall band will be prepared to furnish a lunch at a reasonable rate to any who may desire it.

#### Removed a Calculus.

A delicate operation was performed on Mrs. Lydia Neese, of Spring Mills, Tuesday by Drs. Musser, Braught, Frank and Hayes. The patient is now resting well, and her complete recovery is anticipated. The operation consisted in the removal of a calculus from the hepatic duct. In other words a hard, stony substance was removed from the channel leading from the liver to the stomach.

#### Two New 'Coons.

The Reporter has added two 'coons to its menagerie, and now has a trio of the cute little cusses that are becoming as tame as a family cat. H. E. Shreckengost, of Farmers Mills, is the famous 'coon hunter who captured the vicious little brutes Wednesday night of last week. That particular night proved an exceptionally good one for hunting 'coons, as the party were successful in killing four others, making six for the night's chase.

#### Foot Ball Schedule

Following is a schedule of foot ball games to be played by the State College eleven :

Sept. 26—Dickinson at State College.
Sept. 27—Western University at State College.
Oct. 4—University of Pennsylvania at Phil'a.
Oct. 11—Villanova at State College.
Oct. 18—Yale at New Haven.
Oct. 25—Susquehanna at State College.
Nov. 1—Annapolis at Annapolis.
Nov. 8—Gettysburg at State College.
Nov. 15—Washington and Jefferson ( place to be selected later. )
Nov. 27—University of Buffalo at Buffalo.

October 17th has been set aside by State Superintendent of Public Instruction Shaffer as Arbor day.

### LUTHERAN MISSIONARY CONVENTION.

**The Society of the Central Pennsylvania Synod Met at Pine Grove Mills.**

The Convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign missionary society was held in the Lutheran church, Pine Grove Mills, beginning Monday evening and closing Wednesday. The first session opened at 7.30 p. m. with a large attendance of delegates and others. Miss Cora Halahan, president of the society, called the meeting to order. Rev. C. T. Aikens led in devotional exercises. Mrs. D. G. Meek made an address of welcome to the visiting delegates and others present from a distance. Her address received a fitting response from the president in behalf of the convention. Rev. J. M. Rearick of Centre Hall, filled the pulpit.

Tuesday morning session was led by Mrs. Yoder, of Allenville. This session was mostly devoted to business; reports of delegates, secretaries, treasurers, etc. The afternoon session was in charge of Miss Lillian Stetler, of Middleburg. The topic, "Are Woman's Missionary Societies effective for good," was discussed by several of the ladies. The evening session was opened by an anthem by the choir, followed by an address by Rev. J. A. Singmaster, D. D., of the Theological Seminary, Gettysburg.

Wednesday morning session was in charge of Mrs. H. C. Walker, Lewistown. Roll call, reading of minutes, and unfinished business was in order. 10 a. m. memorial service in memory of Miss Ella Fleming, Belleville, and other co-laborers fallen asleep.

Wednesday 2 p. m., addresses by Mrs. Geo. Wagner, Reedsville, and Miss Ada Burley, Lock Haven, followed by the Children's hour and an address by Mrs. Julia Deininger, Millheim.

Wednesday evening, address by Rev. A. Stewart Hartman, D. D., general secretary of F. H. M., Baltimore, Md. The old officers were reelected.

#### New Millinery Goods.

Mrs. Lucy Henney will leave tomorrow, Friday, for Eastern cities to purchase her stock of Fall and Winter goods. She will return Friday, Oct. 3rd, when she invites the ladies to call and inspect her goods, which will consist of the latest styles and at prices to suit all. Give her a call.

#### Coal Region Notes.

Two more men were killed in the coal regions—one a striker the other a workman.

The sheriff of Lackawana county, Monday made urgent appeals for troops. The deputy sheriff was shot at by a mob.

A mob of two hundred drove out the workmen from a colliery, blew up the steam pipes with dynamite, and caused the electric light plant at Crescent to be shut down, leaving the whole region in darkness.

### LOCALS.

Miss Mary Heim, of Spring Mills, is in Lewisburg, where she will spend several weeks.

October 4 is the last day you can pay your tax to entitle you to a vote at the November election.

J. Frank Rearick is putting an acetylene plant in the home of Dr. Frank in Millheim.

O. H. Osman's Bellefonte Water street cafe was partially destroyed by fire Monday morning.

Mrs. Rebecca Floray will make sale of a lot of household goods, etc., Saturday afternoon October 11.

Charley Alters, little son of Joseph Alters in this place, was seriously ill the beginning of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conley, of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Conley, of Bellefonte, Sunday attended the funeral of Perry W. McDowell, at Abdera. Mr. McDowell was an uncle of J. W. Conley.

The residence of Herbert T. Miller, in Bellefonte, was entered the other night, and twelve dollars in cash taken from Mr. Miller's trousers. The deed was done without disturbing the inmates of the house.

The first number of volume twelve, of the Franklin and Marshall Weekly, made its appearance Wednesday of last week. Harry M. Bitner is the first mentioned in the list of editors, and the business management has been given into the hands of John S. Hosterman.

Workmen who are making excavations for the new Pennsylvania Railroad yards, east of Altoona, have unearthed some remarkable curios, among them the fossil of a prehistoric reptile. This fossil was found at a depth of sixty feet. It is in an almost perfect state of preservation.

Ten Ichi, the marvelous Japanese magician who is to appear at Keith's this week, is a man of much consequence in his own country, and is said to be quite wealthy. The three females in the troupe are named Ten Katsu, Ten Waka and Ten Toshi. The word Ten means Heaven in Japanese. Hence the translation of the young women's names are respectively: Heaven's Victory, Heavenly Eyes and Heavenly Teeth. The troupe is Ten Horhi, which means stars of heaven. The chief features of the turn are the thumb and tie trick and the enchanted fountain, which are entirely new here, no magician having attempted them.

### CROP REPORTS.

**Crop and Weather Reports from Interior Counties.—Drought.**

Juniata—Pastures are drying up; ground too dry for seeding.

Mifflin—Same conditions as in Juniata county, except the seeding is done; late corn short crop; apples short crop.

Perry—Too dry for seeding; late corn poor; potatoes good; clover seed scarce.

Somerset—Corn is frosted and very poor; potatoes and apples short crop.

Union—Ground very dry; wheat being sown; corn not well filled.

The counties of Juniata, Mifflin, Pike, Potter and Tioga this week report to the climate and crop service that potatoes are rotting. York and Adams report good potato crops, while most counties report the crop below the average.

### LOCALS.

C. H. Meyer sold his livery business in Millersburg. He and his family arrived in Centre Hall Tuesday.

Miss Mildred, daughter of John Barnhart, deceased, of Bellefonte, died Tuesday, at the age of twenty-one years.

George Meyer, of Coburn, father of Merchant W. H. Meyer, is a visitor in town.

Rev. J. M. Rearick, Misses Rebecca Derstine and May Rhone and Mrs. S. W. Smith attended the missionary convention at Pine Grove Mills.

Mrs. P. Carscadden, of Lock Haven, and Mrs. H. E. Little, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stiver several days last week.

Station Agent Philip Bradford, of Linden Hall, and wife, and Mrs. Geo. Ishler and children of Hublersburg, were entertained by Mrs. Bradford, at the station, over Sunday.

The Mifflinburg town council last week passed a resolution to increase the borough indebtedness $6,000 for the purpose of erecting an electric lighting plant in the town.

State Chairman Quay is not satisfied with Pennypacker's reception at Centre Hall and has arranged that the Republican candidate and party itinerary be at Bellefonte Tuesday, Oct. 2.

An infant son of Calvin Lingle, north of Penn Hall, died Wednesday of last week and was buried the following day at the Cross church, Georges Valley. The babe's age was about five weeks.

Harvey I. Huber, of Chambersburg, was made the Democratic nominee for Congress in the Seventeenth district composed of the counties of Union, Snyder, Mifflin, Juniata, Perry, Fulton, Huntingdon, and Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. L. Moore during the past week entertained Mrs. John C. Bible, Mrs. J. Frank Bible, of Centre Hill; W. J. Carlin, Rebersburg; Mrs Gilbert Rice, Lemont; Mrs. Edward Mosel, Altoona; Miss Sara Ott, Bellefonte.

Rev. J. D. Shortis and Rev. E. Confer, of Millheim; Mrs. Albert Houseknecht, of Muncy, and Mrs. Hannah Stevenson, of Hughesville, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Shultz last week. Mrs. Houseknecht and Mrs. Stevenson are sisters of Mrs. Shultz.

Miss Mabel Sankey, of Potters Mills, has been selected principal of the Vernon, Kansas, schools. Miss Sankey several months ago went west to visit her brother, Asher Sankey, at Vernon, she entered the Normal there and now, as stated above, has been given a position.

George O. Benner, general merchant opposite the station, has moved into his new store room, and is now better prepared to carry a full line of goods, including hardware, which will be made a specialty. The new store room is a handsome one and is conveniently arranged, and well lighted. See his advertisement.

Joy Winegardner, a six-year-old boy, was kicked on the head by a horse on Saturday afternoon. His nose was broken and his skull fractured. The boy lives with J. L. Winegardner, at Fiedler, and it is supposed that he went to the horse stable alone, opened the door and went in among the horses. He is attended by Dr. C. S. Mussar, says the Journal, who reports that there are chances that he may recover.

W. H. Bartholomew, during the week of encampment, entertained Mrs. Charles W. Bassler, of Freeburg; Rev. and Mrs. Haven and daughter Theo, Mr. and Mrs. James Leitzell, Dr. P. W. Leitzell, Mrs. Elizabeth Bartholomew and Master Frank Allison, of Spring Mills; Aaron Harter, Harrisburg; George Whitaker, Curwensville; Austin Curtin, of Curtin; the Misses Edna Decker and McLane, of Hublersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Lemont.

Rev. Henry McCook, D. D., of Philadelphia, has resigned the pastorate of the Tabernacle Presbyterian church, Philadelphia, after serving it for thirty-three years. Dr. McCook is the author of Westminster Sunday School lessons, one of the founders of the Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, and also of the Presbyterian hospital, Philadelphia. He was also a special representative of the War Department in Cuba after the war with Spain. He will pass his remaining years at Devon, a suburb of Philadelphia.

### BOUND, GAGGED AND ROBBED.

**Dry Valley, Mifflin County, the Scene of the Brutal Act.**

Four masked men entered the residence of Joseph Shirey, in a lonely portion of Dry Valley, and at the suggestion of half a dozen guns induced him to get out of bed and cook a good meal for them.

"Where's your money?" demanded the leader of the gang, who picked his teeth with a big dirk in order to lend a Wild West flavor to the query.

"I haven't a cent in the house," quavered the old man.

The robbers knew better than that. At least, rumor has always given him credit with hoarding wealth.

"You've got to show," said the stranger, whereupon Shirey was knocked down, prodded with knives and rolled about incontinently. Finally he was bound and gagged, and the search for money was begun.

Everything in the house was gone through. But the search was not prolific, as only $48 was found.

After eating a second meal, the robbers departed. They are thought to be circus followers.

Shirey worked out of his thongs about noon and crawled to a neighbor's house. He is in a bad way.

#### Tire Setting a Specialty.

Wilbur A. Henney has opened his blacksmith shop on Church street and is ready to do all kinds of blacksmithing and wood work, special attention is given to setting buggy and wagon tire. His past record as a mechanic is sufficient to warrant a liberal share of the public patronage.

#### Pine Grove Mills.

C. M. Fry and wife, of Pittsburg, after sight seeing in Washington for a week are now visiting among friends about Pine Grove.

Emanuel Shuey, who went west about 25 years ago, is visiting about State College, and is thinking of renting a farm.

Farmer E. C. Fry is laid up for repairs from damages received from a vicious bull.—Daniel Driblebis and Mrs. John Ghaner are seriously ill.—Mrs. Rebecca Nidigh, of State College, is ill; little hope is entertained for her recovery.

#### Another Barn Burned.

The large barn on the farm of Mrs. Pugh and Miss Clara Valentine, situated in Spring township near Nigh Bank and occupied by Henry Kline, was entirely destroyed by fire about ten o'clock Thursday night of last week

It was fortunately discovered in time to save the live stock but Mr. Kline lost his crops of grain and hay.

The origin of the fire is unknown but is supposed to have originated from spontaneous combustion caused by the second crop of clover hay becoming overheated.

Fortunately both barn and crops were insured, the former in a Cash Company, and the latter in the Patrons of Husbandry.

On the personal property there was actual insurance to the amount of $739 00, as follows : Hay, $340 ; wheat, $214; harness, $67; oats, $40; barley, $28; two wagons, $50. The bulk of implements were stored in an implement shed, which was not destroyed. These figures were obtained from the secretary of the company, James A. Keller.

#### Death of an Aged Lady.

Mrs. Mary Ann Smith died at the residence of her son-in-law, Dr. H. S. Alexander, at Potters Mills, Monday morning at an early hour, aged seventy four years, from a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Smith was the widow of Henry R. Smith, a soldier of the Mexican War, who died about six years ago, at Pine Grove Mills. The deceased and her husband for many years lived in Potter township prior to moving to Pine Grove Mills. Her maiden name was Mary Ann Moyer.

The subject of this sketch was a highly respected citizen of the community in which she lived, an earnest Christian woman, and for years had been a faithful member of the Reformed church, to which she was greatly attached.

She is survived by the following sons and daughters : Emanuel, Michael, Ella, and Kathryn, wife of Dr. H. S. Alexander, Potters Mills; John and William, Spring Mills; Luther, Johnstown; Emma, wife of Geiss Wagner, Manhattan, Illinois.

The funeral will take place this, Thursday, morning, interment at Tusseyville, Rev. A. A. Black, of Boalsburg, officiating.

Write Grant Hoover for prices on insurance. ooo

You can save 20 per cent. on all saddlery by buying for cash from D. A. Boozer until October 1.

For Sale—A good one-horse, second hand spring wagon with lock, etc., in good condition. S. K. Knepley, Centre Hall.

For Sale.—R. D. Musser, Spring Mills, Pa., offers for sale a thoroughbred English boar pig, fourteen weeks old. It is a fine and well marked animal and will be sold at a reasonable price.

Miss Breeze Benner, Monday went to Philadelphia, where she will be employed in a dressmaking establishment.

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## New Goods . . . .
## New Department

In this advertisement we simply want to say that The Star Store is in its New Room and that we are ready for business.

New goods are coming in every day: these are new and seasonable goods.

### Hardware—A New Department.

A New Department in The Star Store is a full and complete line of Hardware.

Come to see us—if not to buy, to inspect.

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## Ho!! For the Fair Grounds!

Come and make our Store your Headquarters during the Great County Fair, beginning Tuesday, September 30th

**All the Clothing that is "fit to wear" for Men, Boys and Children.**

Hats and Neckwear in profusion . . . . .

See our lines of - - -

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Everything for the Male - - -

## Montgomery & Co.

Clothiers and Tailors.

### LOCALS.

The Potter township public schools opened Monday.

Deputy Recorder Ambrose Sloteman is seriously ill.

The borough schools were largely increased in attendance on Monday.

John Lucas, of Pine Glenn, was thrown from his buggy and seriously injured.

The borough water plant behaved itself admirably during the recent dry spell.

Inquiries are being made for potatoes. Several car loads were shipped from Coburn recently at twenty-five cents.

Asher Stahl, who had been in Pittsburg for the past few weeks, returned home Tuesday, and will remain for the winter.

Messrs. Harry Burkholder, of Centre Hill, and Charles Burris, are taking advantage of the High School in this place.

The Centre Hall Evaporating Company shipped a car load of six hundred bushels of apples Tuesday. Another car is being loaded.

Contracts were awarded for the erection of eighteen State bridges to take the place of bridges carried away by high water last spring, but the Spring Mills bridge is not among the number.

Joseph Alters has quit the carpenter business since Benner's store is completed, and will now aid the proprietor of the Star Store to wait on customers. The addition of a clerk indicates that the Star Store's trade is increasing.

Hon. J. Henderson Maclay, one of the most respected citizens of the Kishacoquillas Valley, died at Belleville, aged nearly seventy-seven years. Mr. Maclay represented Mifflin county in the legislature twenty years ago, where he rendered honest and faithful service. He was universally esteemed.

The evaporating plant at the station is running continuously with a force of a dozen or more parers, cutters, bleachers, etc. Mr. Winney, of New York, an experienced man in handling drying kilns, has charge of the plant in the absence of General Manager B. D. Brisbin.

Irvin Runkle, son of James C. Runkle, of near this place, was a caller Wednesday. Mr. Runkle a short time ago returned from the Pacific border states where he had been for over two years. Some time was spent with his brother Frank J. Runkle, in lower California, who is conducting a bean ranch.

The Democratic candidates for local offices spent several days on Grange Park last week to get better acquainted with voters on the South side of Centre county. The county ticket is made up of clean timber, and they need not be ashamed to look a man square in the face and ask his support at the polls.

### LOCALS.

A No. 1 second hand spring wagon for sale cheap, by S. K. Knepley, Centre Hall.

A reduction of 20 per cent. on all cash sales until October 1 is offered by D. A. Boozer.

For a bad taste in the mouth take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by J. F. Smith, H. F. Rossman and J. B. Fisher's Sons.

D. A. Boozer will until October 1 sell for cash harness, whips, blankets, robes collars, and all goods in stock, at a reduction of 20 per cent. from former prices.

Mrs. W. H. Schuyler left Wednesday morning for Tyrone, where she will attend a missionary convention in session at that place. She will return Thursday evening.

A full report of the State College exhibit will be given next week. The exhibit was in charge of A. K. Risser and J. P. Pillsbury, who did much to make visitors to the college exhibit interested in the State's great institution.

R. B. Spangler and Master Arthur Hoover, of Hastings, visited the former's parents, ex-Sheriff and Mrs. John Spangler. Mr. Spangler says the soft coal regions are booming, and that they expect to receive lasting benefit from the strike, owing to the fact that necessity will demonstrate that bituminous coal can be used in many places where anthracite coal was thought indispensible.

For the benefit of those desiring to attend the National Encampment, Union Veteran Legion, at Chicago, Ill., October 8 to 11, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Chicago and return, from all stations on its lines, on October 5, 6, and 7, good to return until October 16, inclusive, at rate of single fare for the round trip, plus $1.00.

Frank Miller, of Armstrong county, passed through Centre Hall Tuesday with a drove of about fifty head of cattle. Mr. Miller sells along the road, instead of making a regular public sale of his stock. He is well acquainted with horse and cattle dealers through Central Pennsylvania, having for years past handled horses and cattle in a similar manner.

### Potters Mills.

Miss Maude Bell, of Milroy, is visiting Mrs. Anna McClenahan.

Mrs. Nettie Smith and daughter Ray, spent Sunday at the home of Henry Moyer, at Colyer.

Miss Anna Beebleheimer is attending school at Spring Mills.

Mrs. Heckman, of Centre Hall, is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. James Reish.

The sick about town are Misses Bertha Armstrong, Lizzie Faust and Father Strong.